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WILSON CONFERS WITH UNDERWOOD

Features of the Proposed Tariff Revision Discussed at White House.

HARMONY IS THE WATCHWORD

Efforts Will be Made to Bring Senate and House Into Complete Accord Before Details of the Bill Become Public.

Washington, April 1—President Wilson and Representative Underwood were in conference for several hours at the White House tonight for the second time over features of the proposed tariff revision. The conference was asked for by President Wilson, who had been studying the new tariff bills for several days and familiarizing himself with many questions about which controversy has been raised in the preparation of the Democratic revision measure.

Other conferences which are to follow with Mr. Underwood and Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance Committee, will settle the status of the sugar, wool and agricultural schedules so far as the party leaders can settle them; and will decide whether one general bill or separate schedule bills shall be passed by the House.

The opponents of free sugar, chiefly representing the cane growing sections of the South, have made strong representations to the President during the last week against the removal of all duty from that product, and the President has been weighing the arguments upon this and other tariff questions.

Since his first conference with Mr. Underwood, President Wilson had gone over the tariff bill in immediate detail with Secretary Redfield, of the Department of Commerce, for whose tariff views he has a high regard. It was not thought that any detailed rates would be under consideration at tonight's conference, but that the general questions as to the free admission of raw materials and the extent to which the duty should be removed from agricultural products and articles largely consumed by the public, were discussed fully.

Efforts to bring the Senate and House into accord before the details of the new tariff bill become public are to be made late this week. Senator Simmons will call Democratic members in the Senate Finance Committee to meet Friday for the preliminary consideration of the tariff. At that time it is thought that a copy of the bill prepared by the House Ways and Means Committee will be submitted to the Democratic Senators and considered in detail.

Should the Senate committee determine that certain features of the bill will not be acceptable in the Senate, efforts will be made to have the draft of the bill changed by the House committee or by the Democratic membership of the House when it meets in caucus next week, so that House and Senate may be brought into as complete accord as possible in support of the House bill.

After the conference between President Wilson and Representative Underwood ended tonight the free sugar plan and the 15 per cent. tax on wool were hanging in the balance.

Mr. Underwood, upon leaving the White House, would only vouchsafe the information that some "progress had been made; that there were no differences between the President and himself, and that the majority of his committee would meet again tomorrow. However, the fight against putting raw sugar on the free list and against retaining the duty on raw wool and over some other parts of the tariff revision, is understood to have led the President to hesitate in committing himself upon these matters until he has had an opportunity to obtain further light.

He will confer over the tariff situation tomorrow and within the next 24 hours communicate his views finally to the Ways and Means Committee, which is, meantime, virtually marking time. The indications tonight were that free sugar would remain in the bill as it is to be introduced by Chairman Underwood, though that is by no means certain. If the President concludes that the pleas for a duty on sugar should be heeded, the committee majority is expected to acquiesce and to transfer sugar to the dutiable list. It is still uncertain whether there will be any change in the wool schedule. The purpose now is to go ahead with a single tariff bill. The revision will be submitted in that shape to the Democratic caucus of the House, which can break it up into schedules if it wants to, but the tariff revisionists are disposed to believe that the caucus will adopt the committee's recommendations. House leaders understood tonight that while Mr. Underwood is inclined to believe that the revision effected in the House would run the gauntlet of the Senate, he is a little uneasy over the narrow margin of the Senate's Democratic majority.

The President is understood to have agreed with the House Democrats on the income tax plan, which, however, is subject to change as to rate and the amount of the exemption, now provisionally fixed at from 1 per cent. on $4,000 to 4 per cent. on $100,000—by any changes the President may suggest in the tariff itself.

The Democratic caucus may not be held Tuesday after all, if the President should delay his opinion as to changes in important rates. This situation is expected to be cleared up by tomorrow or Thursday at the latest.

TO RECOGNIZE NEW REPUBLIC

China and Philippine Questions Come Up Before Wilson Cabinet—U. S. May be First Nation to Act in Chinese Matter

Washington, April 1.—China and the Phillipine questions came prominently before the cabinet today. The President and his advisors discussed the advisability of recognizing the Chinese Republic at an early date and there is every likelihood that the United States will be the first of the powers to act.

Administration of the Philippines was considered by the cabinet, and the name of Joseph E. Davies, of Wisconsin, secretary of the Democratic National Committee, was suggested as Governor General of the Islands.

Mr. Davies has had under consideration also an offer to be assistant Secretary of War.

The President is anxious to send a young man of progressive type to the Philippines to give him an accurate survey of conditions in the islands and his long friendship for Mr. Davies is said to have prompted friends to mention him for the place. It was said tonight on good authority that if Mr. Davies did not become the Governor General he might be a member of the Philippine commission. In the absence of the Secretary of War, no decision was reached.

The President today received a memorandum signed by Professor Edward T. Devine, of Columbia University, and some of the most prominent social workers in the country, urging that social legislation be enacted at the coming session.

The President received many distinguished visitors at the White House today.

Cardinal O'Connell, of Boston, was received in the Green room and chatted for a few minutes with the President. The Siamese minister presented Mr. Westengurd, advisor to the Siamese government. The international joint commission, Canadian and American members, paid their respects. In the party were Thomas C. Casgrain, Henry A. Powell and Charles A. Magrath, of Canada, and James Tawney, Frank S. Streeter and George Turner, the American members.

PRISONERS ENTERTAINED.

Georgia Glee Club Renders Selections at Atlanta Penitentiary.

Atlanta, Ga., April 1.—Eight hundred prisoners, assembled in the chapel of the United States penitentiary here today, heard the University of Georgia Glee and Mandolin Club render a varied programme of college and comic musical selections. While several unique entertainments have previously been staged at the Federal prison, today marked the first appearance there of a college organization.

Many of the prisoners, including mountaineers from the Blue Ridge, were strangers to such amusements. Others who heard "Poor Ned" and "Mary Perkins," of the vociferous "Georgia Rah"; with which the performance was concluded, recalled their own college life when days were not measured by a gong.

Julian Hawthorne, son of the famous novelist, was one of these. He sat in almost the last seat of the rear row, where his recent advent into the numbered throng entitled him to a place. He with several others, was visibly moved to tears when the club sang "We Never Miss the Sunshine Until the Shadows Fall."

A comedy hit of the performance was the "Turkey Trot" with "rag baby flop" variations.

After the entertainment the students were shown through the prison and given a substantial meal in the prison dining room.

ATLANTA SELECTED

B'Nai B.Rith Meets There Next—L. Weil, of Goldsboro, President

Washington, April 1.—Atlanta, Ga., today was selected as the next annual meeting place, the date to be fixed by the executive committee, and officers were chosen at the concluding session of District Grand Lodge No. 5, Independent Order B'Nai B'Rith. Officers elected were:

President, Lionel Weil, Goldsboro, N. C.; first vice president, Rabbi F. L. Rosenthal, Columbus, Ga.; second vice president, Rabbi L. E. Marcuson, Charleston, S. C.; sergeant-at-arms, Harold S. Bloomberg, Richmond, Va.; treasurer, H. Sternberger, Greensboro, N. C., and secretary, Rabbi George Solomon, Savannah, Ga.

Among the resolutions adopted was one endorsing a plan for pensioning widowed mothers, approving of the proposed celebration of B'Na B'Rith Day and another recommending that the civil and religious rights of the Jew be safeguarded in any new treaty that may be negotiated with Russia.

HENRY M. FLAGLER WORSE.

Condition of Railroad Magnate Believed to be Critical.

West Palm Beach, Fla., April 1.—The condition of Henry M. Flagler, the railroad and Southern hotel magnate, who recently suffered a painful fall at his home near here, was reported worse today. Relatives and friends expressed considerable anxiety over his condition. Mr. Flagler is still at Oceanic Cottage.

Late tonight Mr. Flagler's condition was believed by his friends to be critical. President J. R. Parrott and Vice President J. E. Ingraham, of the Florida East Coast Railroad, have been summoned here by telegrams dispatched this afternoon. Both are expected to arrive within a few hours from St. Augustine.

Philadelphia, April 1.—The Philadelphia American and National League baseball teams played the first game of the Spring series for the city championship here this afternoon and the former world's champions won by the score of 8 to 0.

"The Ghost of the Goblin Man."

It is a great spot light song and Harry Harris will sing it at the Grand Theatre today. (advertisement.)

WILL HOLD SHORT SERVICE IN ROME

Simple Ceremony to Take Place at Hotel Where Morgan's Body Now Lies.

SPECULATION AS TO FORTUNE

Wall Street Estimates Run from 75 to 300 Million—Metropolitan Museum Passes Resolution on Benefactor's Death.

Rome, April 1.—A simple funeral service will be held over the body of J. Pierpont Morgan tomorrow. The service will take place in the room at the hotel where the body now rests, surrounded by great masses of flowers, tributes from friends and notable personages of various countries.

Only relatives, intimate friends of the family and the American ambassador, Thomas J. O'Brien and Mrs. O'Brien will attend the service, which will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Nelson, of the American church. The death of Mr. Morgan has caused an impression which has become more profound as time passes. Everywhere flags are flying at half mast. This is particularly noticeable over the art institutions in which Mr. Morgan had taken so deep an interest.

Throughout the day there was a constant stream of callers at the hotel to offer condolences.

No Funeral Plans Yet.

New York, April 1.—Members of the late J. Pierpont Morgan's household were not yet ready tonight to make any announcement of plans for his funeral. If a decision had been reached in Rome as to arrangements for bringing the financier's body to this country no advices regarding them had been received here, it was stated.

J. P. Morgan, Jr., did not go to his offices today and members of the Morgan firm who were at the banking house had no information to give out, they said. Mr. Morgan, accompanied by Mrs. Morgan, visited the Morgan mansion, near her own home, tonight. He said then that not even tentative plans for the obsequies had been made and that it might be some time before the final arrangements were completed.

Messages of condolence to the family continued to pour in today from all parts of the world.

Says Morgan Expected Death.

Berlin, April 1.—Dr. Wilhelm Bode, general director of the Royal Museum of Prussia, in an article published here today, says that the late J. Pierpont Morgan expected his death and urged him, Dr. Bode, in 1912, to pay a visit to New York in 1914 for the opening of the new wing of the Metropolitan Museum, stating that he himself would not live to be present.

"Mr. Morgan", said Dr. Bode, "was a great collector of a highly original type, but he was not an expert. He realized this, although he was unwilling to admit it. In spite of this fact, he was rarely deceived as he chose his agents and advisers well.

"He habitually deferred payment for several months in case fraud should be developed in his transactions. Dealers had such wholesome fear of losing a good customer that they did not dare to try to pass off fraudulent or inferior articles on him, although this might have been easy.

"Mr. Morgan was responsible for the three-fold or four-fold increase in the prices of art objects, but also at the same time for the awakening of enthusiasm in America for art collecting."

Dr. Bode ranks the collections of Mr. Morgan with those of the greatest museums of Europe.

Morgan's Services Lauded

New York, April 1.—The services of the late J. Pierpont Morgan to the Metropolitan Museum of Art are lauded and his notable benefactions to the museum acknowledged in resolutions of regret over his death adopted today by the trustees. He is referred to as at all times one of the museum's "most active and munificent benefactors," for many years hardly a meeting of the trustees taking place at which 'some rich and valued gift from him to the museum' was not announced."

"His accession to the presidency (in 1904) marked the beginning of a new era in its growth and prosperity," the resolutions say. "Gifts and legacies have been strengthened by his presence and his constant liberality, while his efforts in behalf of the museum have placed it in a position where its future among the great art institutions of the world is assured."

In line with a recently announced intention, the corporate stock budget of the city board of estimate today unanimously decided to set aside $750,000 for the proposed south double wing of the museum intended to hold the famous Morgan collection of art objects, valued at $60,000,000. Quantities of art treasures which Mr. Morgan caused to be sent here from Europe not long ago have been stored away in the basement of the building, awaiting a suitable place for their display.

No Definite Arrangements

Rome, April 1.—The body of the late J. Pierpont Morgan, after it had been embalmed and dressed, was today enclosed in a walnut coffin lined with white brocade. This was then placed in a leaden casket and finally in a third case of heavy walnut with gold and silver fittings.

The United States ambassador has offered to hold a funeral service at the embassy in pursuance of instructions received from Secretary of State Bryan.

No definite arrangements have yet been made for the transportation of the body to America, but it is understood that accommodation has been

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EXPRESS MONOPOLY HARD HIT

Big Companies Have Lost 25 Per Cent. by Parcel Post is Claim Made Before Inter-State Commerce Commission.

Washington, April 1.—Express companies of the country have been hit hard by the operation of the new parcel post system, according to statements submitted to the Inter-State Commerce Commission today by counsel for the companies in their final arguments against the reduction in express rates proposed by the commission. It was declared that the companies have suffered a loss approximating 25 per cent. in small package business—a loss which amounts to about 6 per cent. of the gross revenues of the companies.

Walker D. Hines asserted that for the five companies he represented—the Adams, American, United States, Southern and Wells Fargo—application of the proposed rates to present business would reduce revenues about $26,000,000 a year, or 5.85 cents on every dollar's worth of business done. Such a reduction in revenues, he said, would be absolutely destructive. He maintained also that the formula-made rates would disturb seriously business conditions in large centers, such as New York and Chicago, by forcing a readjustment of competitive business conditions.

B. F. Fairchild, of the New York Chamber of Commerce, for the express shippers, attacked Mr. Hines' argument as "purely theoretical and hypothetical," and insisted that the proposed rates would yield an ample revenue to the express companies. He maintained also that the present allowances made by the express companies to the railroads for transportation service were excessive.

PROBE SULZER'S PROMISES

Resolution Comes Up in N. Y. Legislature—Letter Read

Albany, N. Y., April 1.—Governor Sulzer's alleged pre-election promises may be investigated by the Legislature. Republican Leader Brown today introduced in the Senate a resolution requesting the Senate Judiciary Committee to "determine what, if any, action should be taken" in relation to a published letter in which the Governor was quoted as having promised that, if elected, he would "sign the full crew bill," and "aid in securing its passage." The resolution was referred to the Judiciary Committee. Earlier in the day Governor Sulzer had denied having made such a promise.

The letter, which was responsible for the resolution, is credited to John Fitzgibbons, a legislative representative of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. In the communication dated November 3rd, 1912, and directed to "the officers and members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen of New York State," Mr. Fitzgibbons is credited with having written that in addition to promising to sign the full crew bill and aid in its passage the Governor had said:

"I would come out openly for the bill, but if I did the railroads would spend a barrel of money to defeat it."

In introducing his resolution, Minority Leader Brown said:

"I don't want to attempt to prejudice anybody. All I want is the facts. But the publication of the letter, purported to have been written by Fitzgibbons, coupled with the fact that the governor on Saturday signed the bill which will take about $2,000,000 annually out of the treasuries of the railroads and put it in the pockets of a certain class of workers, and the fact that the Governor is alleged to have promised to sign the bill if elected, strikes me as proper subjects for inquiry by the Senate Judiciary Committee."

Mr. Fitzgibbons today would not admit the authenticity of the letter in question.

GOTCH STILL CHAMPION.

Retains Wrestling Supremacy by Defeating Geo. Lurich, of Russia.

Kansas City, Kan., April 1.—Frank Gotch retained his supremacy as wrestling champion of the world tonight, defeating George Lurich, of Russia, in two straight falls. Gotch received the first fall in 18 minutes, 10 seconds and the second in five minutes, 35 seconds.

OUTLINES

The Big Four levee at Cairo, Ill., went out yesterday afternoon.

A simple service will be held in Rome today over the body of J. P. Morgan.

The south levee at Shawneetown, Ind., was dynamited yesterday to protect the north levee.

J. P. Morgan's body was embalmed in Rome yesterday and prepared for shipment to the United States.

President Wilson conferred with Democratic Leader Underwood yesterday on several features of the proposed tariff revision bill.

Former President Taft yesterday returned to his alma mater, Yale University, to take up his duties as Kent Professor of Law. He was given a great ovation by the student body.

The Wilson cabinet yesterday discussed the China and Philippine questions, and it seems likely that this government will be one of the first to recognize the Chinese republic.

Senator Stillwell, of New York, yesterday refused to resign when requested to do so by Governor Sulzer and demanded that charges of extortion made against him be thoroughly investigated.

In arguing against a reduction in their rates before the Inter-State Commerce Commission yesterday, representatives of the principal express companies declared their business had been reduced 25 per cent. by the operation of the parcel post.

New York markets: Money on call strong, 3 1-2 to 6 per cent.; ruling rate 6; closing bid 4 1-4; offered at 4 1-2. Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands 12.60. Flour quiet, but steady. Wheat quiet; No. 2 red 1.10 1-2 and 1.12. Corn steady; export 58 1-2. Turpentine easy. Rosin quiet.

TAFT GETS GREAT OVATION AT YALE

Undergraduates Welcome Former President Back to His Alma Mater

MR. TAFT GREATLY TOUCHED

Declares He Wants to Help the Young Men Who Are Going Out Into the Nation—Yale's Song of Song Ends Reception.

New Haven, Conn., April 1.—Undergraduate Yale welcomed former President Taft back to his alma mater today in a manner no less hearty and enthusiastic than was the god-speed given Woodrow Wilson by the Princeton students when he left Princeton a month ago to take up the duties at Washington that Mr. Taft was about to lay down.

Mr. Taft is no stranger to New Haven, having made frequent trips here during his Presidency by virtue of being a member of the Yale Corporation, but it is doubtful whether he ever received a more cordial welcome. When it became known that Mr. Taft had accepted the Kent Professorship of Law at Yale, New Haven was anxious to give him a formal welcome, but it was omitted at Mr. Taft's request. Yale students, however, were not to be denied their wish to welcome him back.

Practically the entire student body, 3,000, reinforced by a band, was at the station when Mr. Taft and his party arrived this afternoon. An equally large crowd of citizens also were present. As the Taft party stepped from the train, Capt. Spalding, of last year's football team, strode forward and presented Mrs. Taft with a great bouquet of violets. A moment later Yale's famous "frog chorus" cheer with nine "Tafts" on the end, roared from 3,000 throats.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Taft were deeply moved by the reception. Mr. Taft's famous smile was lacking for a moment and he wore a serious look. As the demonstration grew, however, he smiled broadly and doffed his hat in acknowledgment. Headed by the "Y" men of the athletic teams and a bull dog straining at its leash, the procession proceeded to the campus.

Mr. and Mrs. Taft, with a delegation from the faculty, followed in an automobile. All along the line the ex-President and Mrs. Taft were given a continuous ovation. Arriving on the campus, Mr. Taft was escorted to a balcony on Memorial Hall. As he started to speak he received another great ovation. Visibly affected, Mr. Taft said:

"Men of Yale: You will believe me when I tell you that I am greatly touched by this student reception."

Then with a smile he said: "When it was suggested to me I deprecated it and thought it might be better to defer it until I took my departure, but as I hope that may be indefinitely postponed, and as I hope that Mrs. Taft and I are to become permanent residents of this city and members of the faculty of Yale College, I thought it was best to take what was coming to me at first.

"You may have heard more or less discussion when Presidents of the United States are retired—voluntarily or otherwise—as to what should be done with them. When I took inventory, all I had was a somewhat tarnished reputation as a lawyer; a profession that I had abandoned 30 years ago, but at the suggestion of President Hadley it was decided that what little law I have left might be put into practice here and I am here again to become an active Yale man.

"Men of Yale, as I hear your cheers and songs, I feel young again—as if I had shed some of my years. All this may seem egotistical to you, but I come here, wanting to help what little I can the young men who are going out into the nation. I want to help preserve that part of the nation that is worth preserving and without which the nation cannot exist. If I can do this I shall thank God for the opportunity.

"I am here to work in the ranks with you and to aid the president of the college who is now away from you, but who is soon coming back in improved health. I propose a cheer for Arthur Hadley."

A long Yale cheer was given with a will and another for Taft. Then came the impressive singing of "Bright College Years," Yale's song of songs, with the assemblage standing with bared heads. Mr. Taft joined in the singing and waved his hat in unison with the students with the concluding words: "For God, for country and for Yale."

Mr. and Mrs. Taft later went to the hotel where they are to make their home temporarily.

TRINITY 15; EASTERN 2.

Godfrey Pitches in Great Form—New Men Make Good.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Durham, N. C., April 1.—Trinity defeated Eastern today 15 to 2. Godfrey pitched a fine game, fanning eight men. Trinity scored in every inning except the first and eighth. Eastern made one run in the fourth and the other in the ninth. Patterson, who has been out of the game this season, was on first today and played beautiful ball. White, at third, also put up a classy exhibition. Edgerton, a new man in right, made three hits, including one home run, a three-bagger and a two-bagger. Litchfield, in left, fielded his position perfectly and made two effective hits. Eastern made nine costly errors. Spence sprained his ankle in the seventh and Gill replaced him, taking in several flies neatly. Hits off Godfrey 5; off Strother, 13. Umpire Kelly.

SENATOR REFUSES TO RESIGN

Stephen J. Stillwell, of New York Assembly, Demands Trorough Investigation of Charges of Attempted Extortion.

Albany, N. Y., April 1.—Accused of attempted extortion by George H. Kendall, president of the New York Bank Note Company, Senator Stephen J. Stillwell, of New York, today refused to resign at the suggestion of Governor Sulzer and demanded a thorough investigation of the charges. The Senate ordered an inquiry and directed the Judiciary Committee to report a method of procedure.

Senator Stillwell, who is chairman of the Codes Committee, introduced among other stock exchange reform measures a bill designed to relieve the New York Bank Note Company from alleged discrimination on the part of the New York Stock Exchange, which, it is claimed, has refused to list securities if engraved and printed by the New York Bank Note Company.

In a telegram to Governor Sulzer, Kendall alleges that Senator Stillwell charged him $250 for drafting the bill, that the Senator demanded $500 each for four members of the Senate Codes Committee to report the bill out of committee, and that a further demand of $1,500 was made to influence the Assembly Codes Committee to report the measure.

Kendall says he declined to comply and notified the Senator that unless the bill was reported he would telegraph the situation to the Governor and every member of the Legislature.

The Senate bill was reported March 27th and the Assembly bill was reported about the same time and is now on the order of final passage in the House.

Senator Stillwell declares the "entire story is so false and so absurd that it is scarcely worth replying to."

Governor Sulzer received the telegram of Mr. Kendall last night. The Governor conferred with the president of the Bank Note Company today and later called Senator Stillwell to the executive chamber and suggested that he resign. Stillwell refused. The Governor then took up the matter with Attorney General Carmody, to whom he gave alleged documentary evidence in the case.

Kendall charges that he was introduced by Senator Stillwell to Samuel Lewis, Jr., of New York, clerk of the revision committee, to whom he was asked to send the check for $250 for drafting the bill. Kendall alleges Stillwell divided the check with Lewis, who was asked to resign today by Patrick E. McCabe, clerk of the Senate. He refused and was removed, according to Mr. McCabe. Lewis contended that as a lawyer he had a right to draft the bill and charge $250 for his services. He denied sharing the money with Senator Stillwell.

Governor Sulzer made public the Kendall telegram shortly afternoon today. It caused a sensation at the capitol.

Late this afternoon, Stillwell having been called to the executive chamber and confronted by Mr. Kendall, the Governor suggested that he "had better go upstairs and resign."

"Kendall never opened his mouth," said Senator Stillwell. "And I said: 'Governor, if anything this man has said would warrant a statement of that kind from you, it is a lie; it is untrue. You or no one else has a right to tell me to resign and I resent such a statement coming from you and I will not resign'."

The Senator declared he should be given an opportunity to explain and that he should be either "vindicated or branded one way or the other."

The investigation was ordered without dissent.

INVESTIGATION IS ON.

Grand Jury Takes Up Smuggling Operations at Boston.

Boston, Mass., April 1.—The use of Boston as a clearing house by smugglers of woman's gowns is to be investigated by the Federal grand jury at a special session which was to begin next Tuesday, but was called today.

Expected arrests of custom employes in this city and confederates in New York are to be delayed, it was said, pending the completion of this inquiry.

"The case is assuming greater proportions than was at first anticipated," said United States District Attorney French today. "We are working as hard as possible to solve the problem, but I cannot say how soon or how many arrests will be made. That depends entirely upon future developments."

Two gown importing firms in this city are said to have fallen under suspicion, in addition to the seven or eight houses in New York alleged to be involved.

The discovery which resulted in the arrest of one local custom employe and his wife and of the president of a New York dressmaking company, led officials to estimate the extent of the contraband trade of this port during the past five years as amounting to "millions of dollars."

Chief Wilkie, of the United States Treasury agents, returned here today and continued the work of gathering evidence. Wireless messages to passengers on incoming steamers are being examined by Federal inspectors with a view to checking any attempt by confederates to warn arriving smugglers of the investigation.

"My inquiry regarding the discovery of smuggling at this port will be cleared up tomorrow," said Chief Wilkie tonight.

According to other officials at work on the case, another arrest is expected tomorrow. This arrest is said to have been decided upon after the authorities had examined four persons during the day. Two of these, Patrick Welsh, a carriage agent at a steamship wharf, and a dock laborer, were questioned regarding incidents on the dock on March 17th, when a trunk was seized. Mrs. Alice Mellody, wife of a former champion pugilist, told of her acquaintance with Mr. and Mrs. Tarrace L. Shevelin, who are under arrest here.

MORE LEVEES GO IN RUSH OF FLOOD

Big Four at Cairo Breaks and One at Shawneetown, Ind. Is Dynamited

FLOOD STAGE AT MEMPHIS

Water is Going Much Higher Than Expected—Great Damage at Hickman, Ky.—Ohio Slowly Recovering—Dayton.

Cairo, Ill., April 1.—The Big Four levee, which protected the "drainage district" and which was abandoned this morning, went out at 5:45 P. M., about five miles north of this city. Cairo proper is not affected, as the levee separating the city from the "drainage district" is intact.

Levee Blown Out.

Evansville, Ind., April 1.—The south levee at Shawneetown was blown out with dynamite this afternoon. The water is within four inches of the north levee. The property loss is placed at $100,000. No lives were lost. The destruction of the levee was necessary to reduce the pressure of the water and save lives at Cairo and other river points.

Hickman, Ky., Endangered.

Hickman, Ky., April 1.—Refugees are rushing to the hills back of Hickman in great numbers, while hundreds of laborers are at work sand-bagging the levee to keep out the turbulent waters of the Mississippi. At 10 o'clock tonight the water was about 18 inches above the top of the levee and only sand bags, held in by a temporary frame wall, keeps the water from flooding the downtown district of Hickman. Rescue work is being superintended by Rev. J. H. Keiger, of Hickman, assisted by a large number of boy scouts.

Later today the water from the river had backed into the main streets of Hickman and it is possible boats will be necessary to traverse this distance within the next two or three days as the crest of the flood is not expected here until Friday.

The details of the breaking of the levee last night at Columbus, Ky., a town of 1,000 inhabitants, reached here today. The levee first broke in the lower part of the town and rushed into the lowlands with great force. Consequently the embankment which is about one-half mile long, broke in several other places and water stands three to four feet deep in residences and business houses of Columbus, which have been deserted.

It is reported here tonight that the levee at Medley, Mo., had gone out, but this report lacks confirmation.

A great deal of difficulty is being experienced in keeping negro laborers at work on the levees. In many instances it has been necessary to keep them in Hickman at the point of a rifle. Last night "Rube" Waddell, the baseball player, now here with his team, kept several of them prisoners in a poolroom all night, threatening to shoot the first who attempted to escape.

Debris Holds Victims

Columbus, Ohio, April 1.—All that human effort could accomplish today failed to penetrate the part of the debris piled on the westside where it is believed many of the bodies of persons missing since the flood of March 25th finally will be recovered. As matters stood tonight, however, eight more bodies had passed through the morgues, running the total or dead in that section up to 71.

In addition to this number was the body of James M. Kearney, a merchant who was drowned several months ago and which, cast up by the flood, was found lodged in a tree when the waters had receded. That many other bodies will be recovered, after the army of men employed in the work has attacked the great pile of debris made at several points by wrecked homes, is generally conceded.

Just how many will not be known for some days. The property damage in Columbus, like the death toll, is confined principally to the Westside, the business and manufacturing district having gone almost unscathed.

Back to Housekeeping

Indianapolis, April 1.—Conditions throughout the flooded district of Indiana, except in the extreme southern section of the State, rapidly are returning to normal. Reports from over the State today show that waters which remained stationary for days practically have disappeared and homes deserted by their owners are being reoccupied.

In Indianapolis hundreds of homes were cleaned and with furniture which could be salvaged and that supplied by the relief committee, the owners were able to resume housekeeping. Relif funds are constantly increasing and all persons who lost homes or furniture in the flood are being cared for.

Many persons in the West Indianapolis flood district today were treated with an anti-diphtheria vaccine and Dr. T. V. Keene, in charge of the medical relief work in the flooded districts, said he feared no epidemic. There is enough of the vaccine on hand to treat 10,000 patients.

Flood Reaches Memphis

Memphis, Tenn., April 1.—S. C. Emery, local forecaster of the Weather Bureau, issued a bulletin today predicting that the Mississippi river at Memphis would reach a stage of 45 feet, possibly 46. The high water mark of last year, when several levees were broken along the central stretches of the river, was 45.3.

Privately Mr. Emery had said that the actual stage here would be 44.5 feet. Tonight's prediction was made after dispatches had been received reporting the river rising rapidly at Cairo, a fall of .2 of afoot at St. Louis, less than had been expected and telling of a great volume of water coming out of the Wabash.

At Memphis the stage at 7 o'clock

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MOTHER'S HEROIC RESCUE

Mrs. W. C. Galloway, Formerly of Wilmington, Heroine at Fire

Wilmington friends of Mrs. W. C. Galloway, Jr., will be interested to know that she recently figured as the heroine in a threatening fire in Atlanta, Ga., where the family now reside. The fire started in the boiler room of the Oglethorpe apartments, 195 Ivey street, and women and children trapped on the third floor, had to be rescued by means of ladders. The Atlanta Georgian, of Saturday, contains an extended account of the fire under big headlines on the first page and says of the thrilling experience of Mrs. Galloway:

"Fearful that she and her children might perish before they could be rescued, Mrs. W. C. Galloway determined to brave the smoke and save the children at the peril of her own life. Mrs. L. R. Dickinson and her sister, Miss Hazel Rainey, had rushed into the Galloway apartment, and heroically lent their aid in saving the three Galloway children.

"Mrs. Galloway seized her baby girl, Dorothy, one year old, and dashed into the hall and toward the stairs, which could not even be seen in the smoke and darkness. Mrs. Dickinson and Miss Rainey each took one of the other two children, May, aged five years, and Bobbie, three years old, and followed the lead of the mother.

"Blinded by the smoke and almost stifled, the three groped their way down the stairs to the second floor, where the smoke was even more dense. Finally they managed to reach the first floor and almost fell out into the fresh air and safety. Children and rescuers alike were almost suffocated and were so weak they could hardly stand by the time they reached the open air They were soon revived, however, and soon showed no ill effects of their thrilling experience."

WILL OF LATE W. J. MOORE.

Estate of Late Hotel Man Valued at Between $150,000 and $200,000.

The following from yesterday's Charlotte Observer will be of interest in Wilmington, where the late Mr. W. J. Moore lived for several years:

"The will of the late W. J. Moore, who passed away about seven weeks ago at his hotel in Morehead City, has been filed for probate. Mrs. W. J. Moore, widow of the deceased, being named executrix, to serve without bond. The estate is reputed to be worth between $150,000 and $200,000, one of the most important parcels of real estate being the well known Queen City Hotel property in this city at the corner of Fifth and College streets, just opposite the Auditorium. This is left to the only son of the deceased, Mr. W. J. Moore, Jr., but during the lifetime of Mrs. Moore she is to have the income from it.

"The will is as follows:

"'Wrightsville, April 2, 1912.

"'I leave to my beloved wife all my real and personal property to sell and dispose of as she may think best—everything except the Queen City Hotel in Charlotte, N. C. She is to have this her lifetime and then it is to be the property of my only son, W. J. Moore, Jr.

"'My other property shall go to Kate and Henrietta if living, or to their heirs, should either not survive; and if my other property is not equal to the Queen City Hotel in value, then my son shall have a share to equal that of my other heirs.

"'My wife shall not be required to give bond. "'W. J. MOORE'."

GETTING READY FOR BERRIES

Fast Freights Will Be Put on Within Short Time to Rush Crop

The usual fast freight service for handling the strawberry crop of Eastern Carolina will shortly be inaugurated by the Atlantic Coast Line. A fast freight will be put on between Wilmington and Rocky Mount, where No. 212, fast northbound freight, will take the cars and rush them to the Northern markets as fast as freight trains can be consistently operated. The expected crop is estimated at around 1,600 cars this season. The frost doesn't seem to have inflicted any great damage, though of course, it will retard what otherwise promised to be an unusually early crop. The growers were able to get their patches pretty well covered. A gentleman in close touch with the berry industry yesterday told a Star man that pine straw for this purpose was becoming quite an item with the growers on account of its growing scarcity, some growers hauling it as far as 15 miles. He remarked on the idea of the long leaf pine belt having actually reached that point where pine straw was becoming difficult to obtain.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Robert Wallace Given 12 Months on the Roads for Assault

The Recorder yesterday morning sentenced Robert Wallace, a citizen of Delgado, to 12 months on the roads for assault on his wife, Lula Wallace. The defendant made no defense, having submitted Monday morning, but he appealed from the Recorder's judgment and bond was fixed at $250, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Henry Gibson, charged with shooting at Ed Larkins Saturday night, was found not guilty. Willie Hall, affray, was discharged because he is only 10 years old. Seven small negro boys who tied rope across the sidewalk on Third street, between Hanover and Brunswick, so that pedestrians fell over it, were before the court, but a nol pros with leave was taken in each case. They were Moses, Wellington and Jos. Graham, Alex, Edgar and Clarence Johnson and Louis Davis.

MUST CONNECT WITH SEWER.

Health Department Giving Last Notices to Property Owners.

The City Health Department is giving its last notice to property owners having property located on or accessible to any street or alley along which the city sewer and water lines are laid, that they must forthwith connect with the sewer all water closets, bath tubs, lavatories, sinks and surface closets. The mere fact that application has been filed for such connection will not guard against indictment for not having connection made. The penalty for violation is a fine of $50 for each offense, and every week such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Hereafter, as rapidly as sewer lines are laid, and Council informs the Health Department that the same are ready for use, the superintendent of health shall notify property owners of the fact, and they must make the connections within 30 days.

FIRST ENGLISH PEAS SOLD

Colored Trucker on Masonboro Sound Brings Them to Market

Altamount Walker, a worthy colored trucker living on Masonboro Sound, brought the first English peas of the season to market yesterday. The peas were fully matured and of fine quality, the season having been ideal for peas and truck of every variety. Walker got $4 a bushel for the peas and from now on he will be in the market, getting back the labor and money he has been putting into his truck. He has snap beans in bloom and expects to be first on the market with them also. He was first with peas last year and prides himself on his ability to grow truck and sell first. He is a son of Marsh Walker, who is remembered as a staunch Democrat, even though he was a negro, and who served for many years as a policeman in the city.

Baseball Yesterday

At Chapel Hill: Amherst 5; University of N. C., 2.

At Charlotte: Buffalo (International) 9; Boston (National) 8.

At Richmond: Brooklyn (National) 3; Richmond (Virginia) 1.

At Macon: Toronto (International) 11; Macon (S. A. L.) 0.

At Washington (American) 12; Catholic University 4.

At Atlanta (Southern) 6; Columbus (S. A. L.) 0.

At Nashville 13; Vanderbilt 6.

At New Orleans (Southern) 1; Cleveland (American) 8.

At Roanoke (Virginia) 2; Providence (International) 16.

At Asheville (Carolina) 3; Philadelphia (American second) 11.

At Durham, N. C.: Trinity 15; Eastern 2.

At Chattanooga 2; Detroit (Americans) 4.

At Knoxville: New York (Nationals) 9; Maryville College 1.

At Raleigh: Davidson 0; A. & M. 7.

AMERICAN KILLED.

Albert H. Lawrence Shot on Mexican Sugar Plantation.

Mexico City, April 1.—Albert H. Lawrence, manager of an American-owned sugar plantation near El Pontrero, Vera Cruz, was shot and killed today, the police authorities allege, by Charles Baillett, a Frenchman employed on the sugar property.

Lawrence was born in New York. He figured in Mexican news in January last when the property of which he was manager was attacked by rebels. Mrs. Lawrence, who was with her husband when he was shot, was formerly Virginia Peret, of Marshall, Texas.

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WILL HOLD SHORT SERVICE IN ROME

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offered on board the Koenig Albert, leaving Naples on April 4th.

Estimates of Fortune

New York, April 1.—Estimates of the fortune left by J. P. Morgan as made in the financial district today range from $75,000,000 to $300,000,000, this sum including his art collections. It is understood that the financier's will is of comparatively recent date, but no intimation has been made as to when it will be given to the public. Mr. Morgan's personal counsel declines to discuss the matter.

Those who shared Mr. Morgan's close friendship predict that there will be large charitable and public bequests, although it is conceded that the son, J. Pierpont Morgan, will doubtless receive the bulk of the fortune.

Mr. Morgan's realty holdings were comparatively small, and by far the greater part of the estimate, it is understood, will be found to be made up of gilt-edged securities. Judging by his former quiet philanthrophy, those who speculated today as to possible bequests thought that the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Episcopal Church and perhaps Yale and Harvard universities would come in for bequests.

CORDAGE STRIKE CONTINUES

Situation at Auburn, N. Y., Becomes Acute—11 Hurt in Riot

Auburn, N. Y., April 1.—The cordage strike situation, involving more than 1,500 operatives at the International Harvester Company and Columbian Rope Company shops, became acute today. After a series of riots, in which 11 persons were hurt, Chief of Police Bell said tonight he would put his entire force at the doors of the mills tomorrow.

Two operatives hurt today were taken to the city hospital. Several hundred women participated in the trouble making.

Strikers out at the International Harvester Company mills announced tonight that the recognition of the union has been added to their demand for better wages.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Corporation Commission and Freight Rates—Insurance Agents Being Re-licensed—Cultivating Diphtheria Serum.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—Commenting on a Washington, D. C., special in the morning papers that John C. Forester, secretary of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, had quoted Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Clements as saying that he (Commissioner Clements) was disgusted with the North Carolina Corporation Commission for sitting through the hearings on the fourth clause, of long and short haul petition hearings before the commission two weeks ago and not protesting against the claim by Southern Railway attorneys that the North Carolina shippers are satisfied with present rate conditions, Chairman E. L. Travis said that the members of the North Carolina Commission and Attorney General T. W. Bickett held a conference with Inter-State Commissioner Clements when they reached Washington to attend the hearing in question and explained to him that negotiations are pending between the railroad companies and the legislative commission looking to the settlement of the freight troubles in North Carolina and that pending these negotiations the Corporation Commission felt that the suits the Commission had instituted should be continued and the participation of the commission and attorney general in the fourth clause hearing suspended until the North Carolina Legislative negotiations are closed.

Chairman Travis says this conference with Judge Clements resulted in an understanding that the North Carolina commission would file no protest in the fourth clause hearing and ask that action as to the North Carolina rates involved in this hearing be held up until the negotiations between the legislative commission and the officials of the railroads as to the North Carolina rate situation are concluded or are abandoned. And, in the event of a termination not satisfactory to the shippers of the State and the Legislature then the Corporation Commission suits could be re-opened for prosecution. Of course, in the event the legislative commission succeeded in concluding a satisfactory adjustment of the rate situation for North Carolina there would be a withdrawal of all the litigation involving these matters that the Corporation Commission and the Attorney General has pending.

As to Mr. Forester's comment that the members of the Corporation Commission seemed not to know that the Southern Railway Co., is not sincere in its promise to adjust freight rates, Chairman Travis points out that the Legislative Commission has itself said the railroad companies manifested sincere desire to adjust the rates.

April 1st is the time for re-licensing insurance agents the State over by the State Commissioner of Insurance and the clerical force of the department is just now getting out upwards of 12,000 of these licenses which bring $1 each into the State treasury.

Just as speedily as possible now the State Laboratory of Hygiene, Dr. Shore, director, will prepare for the cultivation of diphtheria antitoxin and other serums for the prevention of disease under the operation of the act of the recent Legislature giving the use of a portion of the Wyatt farm near the city that the city owns, for this purpose. Horses are used for the cultivation of the anti-toxin. Also, the State Department of Agriculture will at once greatly extend its work of cultivating anti-hog cholera serum, using a part of this same Wyatt farm that the State has purchased, for the purpose of taking care of the hogs necessary for the cultivation of the serum.

Dr. W. L. Pickard, of the First Baptist church of Savannah, Ga., is assisting Dr. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church here in a revival service that began Monday evening.

SCHOOLS IN GRANVILLE.

Special Election Carries—New Weekly Paper—Oxford News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oxford, N. C., March 30.—In the election for school bonds held here Saturday the vote stood 182 for the bonds and none against. There were 50 people who went to the polls to vote for the proposition, but found that they had failed to get their names on the registration books. These bonds are to repay a loan secured by the trustees of the graded school for a building erected two years ago.

On the evening of the 28th, a declaimers' contest was held in the auditorium of the graded school. Representatives from a number of the schools of the county were present, and contested for a medal offered annually in the county for the best declaimer. The winner for this year was Tom Pace, of the Oxford school. The medal was gracefully presented by Mr. John W. Hester, of the local bar.

The Granville Enterprise is the name selected for the new weekly paper soon to be established in Oxford. It will probably be some time in July before the first issue comes out. The company organized for publishing this paper is composed of a large number of stockholders, over 50 so far having subscribed to stock. The plan is to make it a community enterprise, with capital stock and interest extensively distributed, so as to get the support of a large number of people.

BATTLESHIP IN COLLISION.

Ohio Collides With Str. Frederich of M. & M. Line.

Philadelphia, April 1.—The United States battleship Ohio was in collision last night with the steamship Frederich, of the Merchants & Miners' Line, while proceeding up the Delaware river, it became known tonight. In passing the Frederich, which was steaming in the same direction, the battleship, on her way to the Philadelphia navy yard, was drawn towards the steamer by the suction. The contact was not heavy and the most serious damage done was the dismantling of a six-inch gun on the Ohio, and a rent in the plates of the Frederich above the water line.

Charleston, S. C., April 1.—As a result of a primary held today to nominate a successor to the late Representative George S. Legare, of the First Congressional district, Richard S. Whaley, and Edward W. Hughes, both lawyers of Charleston, will make the second race on April 15th. Other candidates were George F. VonKolnitz, of Charleston, and James G. Padgett and Solicitor John H. Peurifoy, of Walterboro.

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KINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Western Union Manager Ill—Cash Register People—Reception.

(Special Star Corresopndence.)

Kinston, N. C., April 1.—J. B. Faulkner, of Richmond, Va., district manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company, is sick at the home of his brother, Dr. T. H. Faulkner, on McLewean street, in this city. Mr. Faulkner was taken ill while looking after the company's interests in this territory.

Demonstrators and lecturers of the National Cash Register Company, who were in this section to give lectures in a number of places on the reclamation and beautifying of undesirable suburbs, modern business methods etc., under the auspices of the company as an educational and advertising scheme, were called in by the home office in Dayton, O., because of the flood and temporary paralysis of business in that city. Some of the representatives lost relatives in the stricken territory, and these hurried home, cancelling all dates in eastern Carolina, temporarily at least. One advance agent, who had been more fortunate, remained.

A unique celebration was had here when 150 people, Jews and Gentiles, gathered in the hall of the Woodmen of the World as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Naiman, prominent Hebrews of the city, to witness the ceremony attendant upon the 13th birthday of their son. According to the ancient Hebrew custom, which had its origin when Moses on Mount Sinai received the Ten Commandments to be forwarded to the Israelites, the boy became responsible for his own deeds, and a man in the councils of his race. A feast was served, and congratulatory telegrams from all over the world were read by Elisha B. Lewis, private secretary to Congressman Kitchin. A number of prominent Gentiles made speeches, as well as Rabbi Goodkowitz. A bountiful feast was served.

GATE CITY AFFAIRS

Report of Referee Confirmed—Greensboro Politics—Notes.

(Special Star Corresopndence.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 1.—Judge James E. Boyd has confirmed the report of Referee Lindsay Patterson in the matter of the Ferguson Contracting Company, bankrupt, J. V. V. Olcott, of New York, receiver, against the Winston Salem Southbound Railroad. The amount involved in the action was $65,000 and the hearing before referee was to determine to what creditors this fund should go. The railroad company offered no protest to the decree of the court confirming the referee's decision as to priority of debts, which were preferred by a number of complainants who served as sub-contractors in the construction of the road in 1911.

The body of John Warren, late of Selma, was carried to Ward, S. C., this morning for interment, being accompanied by a son, J. C. Warren, of Wilson, and two daughters from Selma. Warren met death here yesterday in attempting to catch a freight train. He lost his footing and fell beneath the car wheels.

City politics were enlivened this morning by the announcement of Charles A. Hines that he was an aspirant for the city judgeship and W. M. Perdew of candidacy for the office of Mayor and Commissioner of Finance. There are now four candidates in the race for judge. Mr. Perdew is the first, however, to offer against Mayor Murphy, who is a candidate for re-election. The primaries for the city offices will be held the latter part of this month and the election will be the first Monday in May.

WALTER J. TRAVIS WINS.

Garden City Golfer Captures Gold Medal at Pinehurst.

Pinehurst, N. C., April 1.—Following his 78 of yesterday with a card of 73 today, Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, won the gold medal in the 36th hole qualification round of the 13th annual United North and South Amateur Golf Chambionship with a card of 151 and a margin of 13 strokes.

H. J. Topping, Greenwich, Conn., and H. K. Kerr, Edwanok, were tied for second place with 64.

Six sixteens qualified for the match play rounds which continue through Saturday.

HUSBAND'S FINAL DECISION

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GUILFORD COURT

Negro on Trial for His Life—For the Flood Sufferers

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 1.—Jim George, a negro, was put on trial for his life in the Superior Court this afternoon and the case will probably be concluded tomorrow. Little trouble was found in gaining a jury from the special venire of 25 men. The case is an unusual one and were the principals of prominence it would have attracted wide attention. Shortly after Christmas the police were called to the negro home and upon arrival they found the woman with a mortal wound. George, together with a sister, Ann George, and neighbors were present and they told the officers the wound was inflicted accidentally with a "toy" pistol in which was a 22 loaded cartridge. The woman died and several days later circumstances caused suspicion. A witness came forward and declared that George really shot the woman with a pistol of larger calibre and that after doing so he transfered the big pistol to his sister, Ann George, and she in turn gave him the "toy" pistol which was turned over to the police. Examination of the body later revealed a bullet of 32 calibre rather than 22. The woman who figured in the transfer of the pistol is to be tried later as an accessory.

Mayor T. J. Murphy sent to the relief committee in the flood-stricken States a check for $1,000 as Greensboro's contribution to the sufferers. Of this amount $334.50 was contributed during Monday and an equal amount was given by Caesar Cone, who had promised to give an amount equal to that collected by the Mayor up to Monday night. The remaining $300 to make out the $1,000 check came in during today. Of the local subscriptions $35.50 came in dimes, quarters, bills and dollars, and was labelled, "For flood sufferers from students and faculty of A. & M. College," which is the State negro institution here. Several of the negro churches also made contributions. The largest individual subscribers were Caesar Cone, $334.50, and Odell Hardware Company, $50.

What Cures Eczema?

We have had so many inquiries lately regarding Eczema and other skin diseases that we are glad to make our answer public. After careful investigation we have found that a simple wash of Oil of Wintergreen, as compounded in D.D.D. Prescription, can be relied upon. We would not make this statement to our patrons, friends and neighbors unless we were sure of it—and although there are many so-called Eczema remedies sold, we ourselves unhesitatingly recommend D. D. D. Prescription.

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As a child grows older it requires more and more personal attention from the mother, and as the functions of the bowels are of the utmost importance to health great attention should be paid to them.

Diet is of great importance, and the mother should watch the effect of certain foods. A food will constipate one and not another, and so we have a healthy food like eggs causing biliousness to thousands, and a wholesome fruit like bananas constipating many. It is also to be considered that the child is growing, and great changes are taking place in the young man or young woman. The system has not yet settled itself to its later routine.

A very valuable remedy at this stage, and one which every growing boy and girl should be given often or occasionally according to the individual circumstances, is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. This is a laxative and tonic combined, so mild that it is given to little babies, and yet equally effective in the most robust constitution. At the first sign of a tendency to constipation give a small dose of Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring, and prompt action will follow in the morning. It not only acts on the stomach and bowels, but its tonic properties build up and strengthen the system generally. Mrs. Henry Babler, Van Dyne, Wis., writes that her little son, Melvin Babler, was constipated most of the time until she gave him Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Since using this remedy he has never been constipated.

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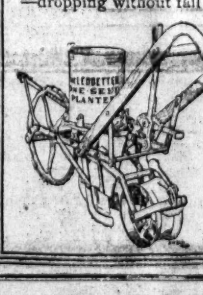

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective January 5, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:20 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:15 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect October 29, 1912.

Winter Park, Wrightsville, Wrightsville Beach and Intermediate Points.

EAST BOUND. Leave Wilmington for Winter Park	Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville	Leave Wilmington for The Beach	WEST BOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington	Leave The Beach for Wilmington
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Special for Saturdays and Sundays.

Leave Wilmington every half hour from 2:00 until 5:00 P. M.
Leave Beach every half hour from 2:45 until 5:45 P. M.

Cars marked (*) do not run on Sundays.
Cars marked (!) run Sundays only.
Cars marked (x) superceded by half-hour schedule Saturdays and Sundays.
Cars marked (o) leave at 1:10 P. M. Saturdays.

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Steamship "Cherokee," Sat., Mar. 29, 1913.
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Steamship "Cherokee," Mon., Mar. 24, 1913.
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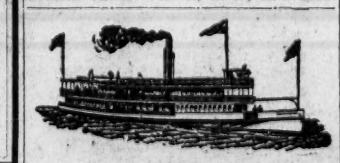

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TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON:
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DAILY SLEEPER ON NO. 45 TRAIN FOR CHARLOTTE. OPEN FOR OCCUPANCY AT 10 O'CLOCK P. M.
No. 39—3:05 P. M., arrive Hamlet, 7:35 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11:00 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte.
TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON.
No. 40—12:30 P. M. from Charlotte and intermediate points.
No. 44—12:10 A. M. from Charlotte and intermediate points.
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Lv. Norfolk	8:30 a.m.	8:00 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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MOTHER'S HEROIC RESCUE

Mrs. W. C. Galloway, Formerly of Wilmington, Heroine at Fire

Wilmington friends of Mrs. W. C. Galloway, Jr., will be interested to know that she recently figured as the heroine in a threatening fire in Atlanta, Ga., where the family now reside. The fire started in the boiler room of the Oglethorpe apartments, 195 Ivey street, and women and children trapped on the third floor, had to be rescued by means of ladders. The Atlanta Georgian, of Saturday, contains an extended account of the fire under big headlines on the first page and says of the thrilling experience of Mrs. Galloway:

"Fearful that she and her children might perish before they could be rescued, Mrs. W. C. Galloway determined to brave the smoke and save the children at the peril of her own life. Mrs. L. R. Dickinson and her sister, Miss Hazel Rainey, had rushed into the Galloway apartment, and heroically lent their aid in saving the three Galloway children.

"Mrs. Galloway seized her baby girl, Dorothy, one year old, and dashed into the hall and toward the stairs, which could not even be seen in the smoke and darkness. Mrs. Dickinson and Miss Rainey each took one of the other two children, May, aged five years, and Bobbie, three years old, and followed the lead of the mother.

"Blinded by the smoke and almost stifled, the three groped their way down the stairs to the second floor, where the smoke was even more dense. Finally they managed to reach the first floor and almost fell out into the fresh air and safety. Children and rescuers alike were almost suffocated and were so weak they could hardly stand by the time they reached the open air They were soon revived, however, and soon showed no ill effects of their thrilling experience."

WILL OF LATE W. J. MOORE.

Estate of Late Hotel Man Valued at Between $150,000 and $200,000.

The following from yesterday's Charlotte Observer will be of interest in Wilmington, where the late Mr. W. J. Moore lived for several years:

"The will of the late W. J. Moore, who passed away about seven weeks ago at his hotel in Morehead City, has been filed for probate, Mrs. W. J. Moore, widow of the deceased, being named executrix, to serve without bond. The estate is reputed to be worth between $150,000 and $200,000, one of the most important parcels of real estate being the well known Queen City Hotel property in this city at the corner of Fifth and College streets, just opposite the Auditorium. This is left to the only son of the deceased, Mr. W. J. Moore, Jr., but during the lifetime of Mrs. Moore she is to have the income from it.

"The will is as follows:

"'Wrightsville, April 2, 1912.

"'I leave to my beloved wife all my real and personal property to sell and dispose of as she may think best—everything except the Queen City Hotel in Charlotte, N. C. She is to have this her lifetime and then it is to be the property of my only son, W. J. Moore, Jr.

"'My other property shall go to Kate and Henrietta if living, or to their heirs, should either not survive; and if my other property is not equal to the Queen City Hotel in value, then my son shall have a share to equal that of my other heirs.

"'My wife shall not be required to give bond. "'W. J. MOORE.'"

GETTING READY FOR BERRIES

Fast Freights Will Be Put on Within Short Time to Rush Crop

The usual fast freight service for handling the strawberry crop of Eastern Carolina will shortly be inaugurated by the Atlantic Coast Line. A fast freight will be put on between Wilmington and Rocky Mount, where No. 212, fast northbound freight, will take the cars and rush them to the Northern markets as fast as freight trains can be consistently operated. The expected crop is estimated at around 1,600 cars this season. The frost doesn't seem to have inflicted any great damage, though of course, it will retard what otherwise promised to be an unusually early crop. The growers were able to get their patches pretty well covered. A gentleman in close touch with the berry industry yesterday told a Star man that pine straw for this purpose was becoming quite an item with the growers on account of its growing scarcity, some growers hauling it as far as 15 miles. He remarked on the idea of the long leaf pine belt having actually reached that point where pine straw was becoming difficult to obtain.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Robert Wallace Given 12 Months on the Roads for Assault

The Recorder yesterday morning sentenced Robert Wallace, a citizen of Delgado, to 12 months on the roads for assault on his wife, Lula Wallace. The defendant made no defense, having submitted Monday morning, but he appealed from the Recorder's judgment and bond was fixed at $250, in default of which he was sent to jail.

Henry Gibson, charged with shooting at Ed Larkins Saturday night, was found not guilty. Willie Hall, affray, was discharged because he is only 10 years old. Seven small negro boys who tied rope across the sidewalk on Third street, between Hanover and Brunswick, so that pedestrians fell over it, were before the court, but a nol pros with leave was taken in each case. They were Moses, Wellington and Jos. Graham, Alex., Edgar and Clarence Johnson and Louis Davis.

MUST CONNECT WITH SEWER.

Health Department Giving Last Notices to Property Owners.

The City Health Department is giving its last notice to property owners having property located on or accessible to any street or alley along which the city sewer and water lines are laid, that they must forthwith connect with the sewer all water closets, bath tubs, lavatories, sinks and surface closets. The mere fact that application has been filed for such connection will not guard against indictment for not having connection made. The penalty for violation is a fine of $50 for each offense, and every week such violation continues shall constitute a separate offense. Hereafter, as rapidly as sewer lines are laid, and Council informs the Health Department that the same are ready for use, the superintendent of health shall notify property owners of the fact, and they must make the connections within 30 days.

FIRST ENGLISH PEAS SOLD

Colored Trucker on Masonboro Sound Brings Them to Market

Altamount Walker, a worthy colored trucker living on Masonboro Sound, brought the first English peas of the season to market yesterday. The peas were fully matured and of fine quality, the season having been ideal for peas and truck of every variety. Walker got $4 a bushel for the peas and from now on he will be in the market, getting back the labor and money he has been putting into his truck. He has snap beans in bloom and expects to be first on the market with them also. He was first with peas last year and prides himself on his ability to grow truck and sell first. He is a son of Marsh Walker, who is remembered as a staunch Democrat, even though he was a negro, and who served for many years as a policeman in the city.

Baseball Yesterday

At Chapel Hill: Amherst 5; University of N. C., 2.

At Charlotte: Buffalo (International) 9; Boston (National) 8.

At Richmond: Brooklyn (National) 3; Richmond (Virginia) 1.

At Macon: Toronto (International) 11; Macon (S. A. L.) 0.

At Washington (American) 12; Catholic University 4.

At Atlanta (Southern) 6; Columbus (S. A. L.) 0.

At Nashville 13; Vanderbilt 6.

At New Orleans (Southern) 1; Cleveland (American) 8.

At Roanoke (Virginia) 2; Providence (International) 16.

At Asheville (Carolina) 3; Philadelphia (American second) 11.

At Durham, N. C.: Trinity 15; Eastern 2.

At Chattanooga 2; Detroit (Americans) 4.

At Knoxville: New York (Nationals) 9; Maryville College 1.

At Raleigh: Davidson 0; A. & M. 7.

AMERICAN KILLED.

Albert H. Lawrence Shot on Mexican Sugar Plantation.

Mexico City, April 1.—Albert H. Lawrence, manager of an American-owned sugar plantation near El Pontrero, Vera Cruz, was shot and killed today, the police authorities allege, by Charles Baillett, a Frenchman employed on the sugar property.

Lawrence was born in New York. He figured in Mexican news in January last when the property of which he was manager was attacked by rebels. Mrs. Lawrence, who was with her husband when he was shot, was formerly Virginia Peret, of Marshall, Texas.

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WILL HOLD SHORT SERVICE IN ROME

(Continued from Page One.)

offered on board the Koenig Albert, leaving Naples on April 4th.

Estimates of Fortune

New York, April 1.—Estimates of the fortune left by J. P. Morgan as made in the financial district today range from $75,000,000 to $300,000,000, this sum including his art collections. It is understood that the financier's will is of comparatively recent date, but no intimation has been made as to when it will be given to the public. Mr. Morgan's personal counsel declines to discuss the matter.

Those who shared Mr. Morgan's close friendship predict that there will be large charitable and public bequests, although it is conceded that the son, J. Pierpont Morgan, will doubtless receive the bulk of the fortune.

Mr. Morgan's realty holdings were comparatively small, and by far the greater part of the estimate, it is understood, will be found to be made up of gilt-edged securities. Judging by his former quiet philanthrophy, those who speculated today as to possible bequests thought that the Metropolitan Museum of Art, Episcopal Church and perhaps Yale and Harvard universities would come in for bequests.

CORDAGE STRIKE CONTINUES

Situation at Auburn, N. Y., Becomes Accute—11 Hurt in Riot

Auburn, N. Y., April 1.—The cordage strike situation, involving more than 1,500 operatives at the International Harvester Company and Columbian Rope Company shops, became acute today. After a series of riots, in which 11 persons were hurt, Chief of Police Bell said tonight he would put his entire force at the doors of the mills tomorrow.

Two operatives hurt today were taken to the city hospital. Several hundred women participated in the trouble making.

Strikers out at the International Harvester Company mills announced tonight that the recognition of the union has been added to their demand for better wages.

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—IN—
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Pumps in All Leathers. Oxfords in Button and Blucher, Russia Calf, Rubber Sole, $4.00
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DON'T forget that last Spring every one of our lots went the first day, and that we had 15 additional applications; so, if you are interested, call early and make your reservation. Do you know that many of the lots that we sold last Spring have been resold at over ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT PROFIT, many others have changed hands at an increase of one hundred per cent., and two of these lots were resold in less than sixty days at an advance of 60 per cent. If you did not get one, of course you want one now, and here is your opportunity. We are going to put on sale, beginning today, twelve new lots on Carolina Avenue, a new street we have just opened up, and will sell these lots at a most reasonable figure, $775 on time, with easy payments, or if you prefer, $700 cash. This is your opportunity to get a lot in Wilmington's most exclusive suburb. You will never have a chance to make a better investment, if you are looking for something safe with a promise of a large return, and if you want a perfect location in which to build your home, everybody will tell you that CAROLINA HEIGHTS is IT. Of course this property has all modern conveniences in the way of Gas, Water, Sewerage and Electric Lights, and as is always the case at Carolina Heights they are already installed, and you don't have to wait for the property to build up before you get what has been promised.
On the Car Line, with a ten minute schedule already in operation and on the through line to the Beach. The only logical direction for Wilmington's growth is out through this section, and property here will always continue to increase in value.
OTHER PEOPLE HAVE DOUBLED THEIR MONEY IN CAROLINA HEIGHTS LOTS, AND YOU CAN DO THE SAME THING. IF YOU AGREE TO BUILD, WE OFFER YOU SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS, AND DON'T FORGET THAT YOU COULD NOT POSSIBLY BUILD IN A BETTER SECTION, AS THE VERY BEST PEOPLE ALREADY LIVE HERE.
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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Corporation Commission and Freight Rates—Insurance Agents Being Re-licensed—Cultivating Diphtheria Serum.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—Commenting on a Washington, D. C., special in the morning papers that John C. Forester, secretary of the Greensboro Chamber of Commerce, had quoted Inter-State Commerce Commissioner Clements as saying that he (Commissioner Clements) was disgusted with the North Carolina Corporation Commission for sitting through the hearings on the fourth clause, of long and short haul petition hearings before the commission two weeks ago and not protesting against the claim by Southern Railway attorneys that the North Carolina shippers are satisfied with present rate conditions, Chairman E. L. Travis said that the members of the North Carolina Commission and Attorney General T. W. Bickett held a conference with Inter-State Commissioner Clements when they reached Washington to attend the hearing in question and explained to him that negotiations are pending between the railroad companies and the legislative commission looking to the settlement of the freight troubles in North Carolina and that pending these negotiations the Corporation Commission felt that the suits the Commission had instituted should be continued and the participation of the commission and attorney general in the fourth clause hearing suspended until the North Carolina Legislative negotiations are closed.

Chairman Travis says this conference with Judge Clements resulted in an understanding that the North Carolina commission would file no protest in the fourth clause hearing and ask that action as to the North Carolina rates involved in this hearing be held up until the negotiations between the legislative commission and the officials of the railroads as to the North Carolina rate situation are concluded or are abandoned. And, in the event of a termination not satisfactory to the shippers of the State and the Legislature then the Corporation Commission suits could be re-opened for prosecution. Of course, in the event the legislative commission succeeded in concluding a satisfactory adjustment of the rate situation for North Carolina there would be a withdrawal of all the litigation involving these matters that the Corporation Commission and the Attorney General has pending.

As to Mr. Forester's comment that the members of the Corporation Commission seemed not to know that the Southern Railway Co., is not sincere in its promise to adjust freight rates, Chairman Travis points out that the Legislative Commission has itself said the railroad companies manifested sincere desire to adjust the rates.

April 1st is the time for re-licensing insurance agents the State over by the State Commissioner of Insurance and the clerical force of the department is just now getting out upwards of 12,000 of these licenses which bring $1 each into the State treasury.

Just as speedily as possible now the State Laboratory of Hygiene, Dr. Shore, director, will prepare for the cultivation of diphtheria antitoxin and other serums for the prevention of disease under the operation of the act of the recent Legislature giving the use of a portion of the Wyatt farm near the city that the city owns, for this purpose. Horses are used for the cultivation of the anti-toxin. Also, the State Department of Agriculture will at once greatly extend its work of cultivating anti-hog cholera serum, using a part of this same Wyatt farm that the State has purchased, for the purpose of taking care of the hogs necessary for the cultivation of the serum.

Dr. W. L. Pickard, of the First Baptist church of Savannah, Ga., is assisting Dr. O'Kelly, of the First Baptist church here in a revival service that began Monday evening.

SCHOOLS IN GRANVILLE.

Special Election Carries—New Weekly Paper—Oxford News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Oxford, N. C., March 30.—In the election for school bonds held here Saturday the vote stood 182 for the bonds and none against. There were 50 people who went to the polls to vote for the proposition, but found that they had failed to get their names on the registration books. These bonds are to repay a loan secured by the trustees of the graded school for a building erected two years ago.

On the evening of the 28th, a declaimers' contest was held in the auditorium of the graded school. Representatives from a number of the schools of the county were present, and contested for a medal offered annually in the county for the best declaimer. The winner for this year was Tom Pace, of the Oxford school. The medal was gracefully presented by Mr. John W. Hester, of the local bar.

The Granville Enterprise is the name selected for the new weekly paper soon to be established in Oxford. It will probably be some time in July before the first issue comes out. The company organized for publishing this paper is composed of a large number of stockholders, over 50 so far having subscribed to stock. The plan is to make it a community enterprise, with capital stock and interest extensively distributed, so as to get the support of a large number of people.

BATTLESHIP IN COLLISION.

Ohio Collides With Str. Frederich of M. & M. Line.

Philadelphia, April 1.—The United States battleship Ohio was in collision last night with the steamship Frederich, of the Merchants & Miners' Line, while proceeding up the Delaware river, it became known tonight. In passing the Frederich, which was steaming in the same direction, the battleship, on her way to the Philadelphia navy yard, was drawn towards the steamer by the suction. The contact was not heavy and the most serious damage done was the dismantling of a six-inch gun on the Ohio, and a rent in the plates of the Frederich above the water line.

Charleston, S. C., April 1.—As a result of a primary held today to nominate a successor to the late Representative George S. Legare, of the First Congressional district, Richard S. Whaley, and Edward W. Hughes, both lawyers of Charleston, will make the second race on April 15th. Other candidates were George F. VonKolnitz, of Charleston, and James G. Padgett and Solicitor John H. Peurifoy, of Walterboro.

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KINSTON NEWS NOTES.

Western Union Manager Ill—Cash Register People—Reception.

(Special Star Corresopndence.)

Kinston, N. C., April 1.—J. B. Faulkner, of Richmond, Va., district manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company, is sick at the home of his brother, Dr. T. H. Faulkner, on McLewean street, in this city. Mr. Faulkner was taken ill while looking after the company's interests in this territory.

Demonstrators and lecturers of the National Cash Register Company, who were in this section to give lectures in a number of places on the reclamation and beautifying of undesirable suburbs, modern business methods, etc., under the auspices of the company as an educational and advertising scheme, were called in by the home office in Dayton, O., because of the flood and temporary paralysis of business in that city. Some of the representatives lost relatives in the stricken territory, and these hurried home, cancelling all dates in eastern Carolina, temporarily at least. One advance agent, who had been more fortunate, remained.

A unique celebration was had here when 150 people, Jews and Gentiles, gathered in the hall of the Woodmen of the World as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Naiman, prominent Hebrews of the city, to witness the ceremony attendant upon the 13th birthday of their son. According to the ancient Hebrew custom, which had its origin when Moses on Mount Sinai received the Ten Commandments to be forwarded to the Israelites, the boy became responsible for his own deeds, and a man in the councils of his race. A feast was served, and congratulatory telegrams from all over the world were read by Elisha B. Lewis, private secretary to Congressman Kitchin. A number of prominent Gentiles made speeches, as well as Rabbi Goodkowitz. A bountiful feast was served.

GATE CITY AFFAIRS

Report of Referee Confirmed—Greensboro Politics—Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 1.—Judge James E. Boyd has confirmed the report of Referee Lindsay Patterson in the matter of the Ferguson Contracting Company, bankrupt, J. V. V. Olcott, of New York, receiver, against the Winston-Salem Southbound Railroad. The amount involved in the action was $65,000 and the hearing before referee was to determine to what creditors this fund should go. The railroad company offered no protest to the decree of the court confirming the referee's decision as to priority of debts, which were preferred by a number of complainants who served as sub-contractors in the construction of the road in 1911.

The body of John Warren, late of Selma, was carried to Ward, S. C., this morning for interment, being accompanied by a son, J. C. Warren, of Wilson, and two daughters from Selma. Warren met death here yesterday in attempting to catch a freight train. He lost his footing and fell beneath the car wheels.

City politics were enlivened this morning by the announcement of Charles A. Hines that he was an aspirant for the city judgeship and W. M. Perdew of candidacy for the office of Mayor and Commissioner of Finance. There are now four candidates in the race for judge. Mr. Perdew is the first, however, to offer against Mayor Murphy, who is a candidate for re-election. The primaries for the city offices will be held the latter part of this month and the election will be the first Monday in May.

WALTER J. TRAVIS WINS.

Garden City Golfer Captures Gold Medal at Pinehurst.

Pinehurst, N. C., April 1.—Following his 78 of yesterday with a card of 73 today, Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, won the gold medal in the 36th hole qualification round of the 13th annual United North and South Amateur Golf Chamblonship with a card of 151 and a margin of 13 strokes.

H. J. Topping, Greenwich, Conn., and H. K. Kerr, Edwanok, were tied for second place with 64.

Six sixteens qualified for the match play rounds which continue through Saturday.

HUSBAND'S FINAL DECISION

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GUILFORD COURT

Negro on Trial for His Life—For the Flood Sufferers

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., April 1.—Jim George, a negro, was put on trial for his life in the Superior Court this afternoon and the case will probably be concluded tomorrow. Little trouble was found in gaining a jury from the special venire of 25 men. The case is an unusual one and were the principals of prominence it would have attracted wide attention. Shortly after Christmas the police were called to the negro home and upon arrival they found the woman with a mortal wound. George, together with a sister, Ann George, and neighbors were present and they told the officers the wound was inflicted accidentally with a "toy" pistol in which was a 22 loaded cartridge. The woman died and several days later circumstances caused suspicion. A witness came forward and declared that George really shot the woman with a pistol of larger calibre and that after doing so he transfered the big pistol to his sister, Ann George, and she in turn gave him the "toy" pistol which was turned over to the police. Examination of the body later revealed a bullet of 32 calibre rather than 22. The woman who figured in the transfer of the pistol is to be tried later as an accessory.

Mayor T. J. Murphy sent to the relief committee in the flood-stricken States a check for $1,000 as Greensboro's contribution to the sufferers. Of this amount $334.50 was contributed during Monday and an equal amount was given by Caesar Cone, who had promised to give an amount equal to that collected by the Mayor up to Monday night. The remaining $300 to make out the $1,000 check came in during today. Of the local subscriptions $35.50 came in dimes, quarters, bills and dollars and was labelled, "For flood sufferers from students and faculty of A. & M. College," which is the State negro institution here. Several of the negro churches also made contributions. The largest individual subscribers were Caesar Cone, $334.50, and Odell Hardware Company, $50.

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No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, ! 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No. 58, ! 8:15 A.M.

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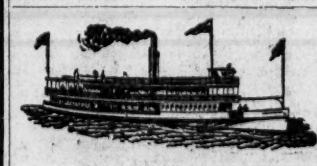

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT.

Wednesday, April 2, 1913.

A Sunday paper contains an article on "How to Treat a Neighbor". Nothing doing on that line in North Carolina.

While North Carolina sits at the head of the table she doesn't let anything pass if it is worth stopping right there.

The Balkans have been defying the powers right along, but watch the powers when they quit the bleachers and go to bat.

New York has gone wild over the "Tango Dance". From this it must be inferred that the Tango is worse than the Turkey Trot.

The politicians of Indiana are down on the newspaper cartoon. No wonder. The cartoon generally is a speaking likeness of a politician.

Quoth the Columbia State: "But yesterday he did bestride the narrow world like a Colossus." But today he is in no better form than a diplodocus.

If ten firms in Wilmington were to do what one firm does for its commerce, this port would have an export commerce of about $300,000,000 annually.

A man will run for an office and risk being exposed and deposed. All men who get office are sooner or later deposed, but they call it retirement, after the manner of Uncle Joe.

It is announced that a distinguished Turk is coming to the United States and will bring his wife. Why doesn't he bring all of them so they won't be worried about what has happened to Turkey?

Colonel Henry Watterson, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, declares that "we should forever keep women out of the dirt of party politics." Well, but wouldn't the ladies take the Gold Dust Twins into politics and let them do their work?

A Philadelphian who has been capering around stealing kisses has been landed in jail. Such an offiense in Wilmington would call for a term in the penitentiary owing to the increased gravity of such conduct because of the location.

In order to help out the Progressive party, Col. Roosevelt has promised it $500 a year. As it will try to last about four years longer, he will be out about $4,000. That won't be such a very great strain on the Colonel, after all.

If about 200,000 Northerners would be kind to themselves they would join the thousands who are coming to eastern North Carolina. Good people are coming here because this is the home-seekers' paradise. It is the blue ribbon area of the "Nation's Garden Spot."

Leland Stamford, Jr., University has granted President David Starr Jordan, a year's leave of absence so he can go to Europe in the interest of international peace. If he accomplishes anything along that line he ought to tell The Hague Tribunal how he manages to do it.

The Wilmington-Southport ocean gateway would not mind being able to coal ships engaged in Panama canal commerce, but they would prefer to load ships with exports rather than have a coaling station. We ought to get a coaling station if possible, but we can have commerce if we will reach out for it. We can't get it by wishing for it. That isn't the way Wilmington gets $30,000,000 of cotton for export every year.

Politics does not have any religious side to it. It consists mostly of one crowd's lying on the other and one man's fighting and downing the other just to get an office. Some men do not fancy being a politician because they hate to lie and fight and fight and lie. Others seem to like it because they like to get into trouble and help to make it for others. It is different with a statesman because he isn't a politician.

Says the Augusta Chronicle: "They say Georgia has more officeseekers at Washington than every other State." If that be true, they are getting all that is coming to them, for North Carolina's "Red Buck" writes this from the seat of war: "It begins to look now as if rival candidates would indulge in much personal abuse. All sorts of gossip is being used to hurt aspirants for office." That refers to our brother Southern Democrats whose yowl and yap is an infringement on the patent of North Carolina Republicans.

We are now gathering all sorts of nice things from the truck fields of eastern North Carolina. However, we are sending them to New York where the people are so hungry that they don't mind emptying their pocketbooks for every delicacy that can be hurried to them on passenger schedule. The re-distribution of wealth is always taking place around Wilmington. People ought to be happy in a country where greenbacks are gathered out of the fields nearly every month in the year. A country like this ought to have a hundred co-operative dairies in touch with Wilmington by telephone.

PROHIBITION'S FIRST CHANCE.

North Carolina's search and seizure act having become effective yesterday, and the Webb act of Congress having been effective on and after its passage, shipments of booze into North Carolina will have to take their chances with seizure. It is only shipments for illegal purposes that are subject to seizure, but any shipment can be seized on information and belief. That means that a package of intoxicating liquors can be seized on suspicion. The search and seizure act gives full power to officers to search premises for liquors of all kinds and seize them in any amount if there is proof or suspicion that they are being used to violate the prohibition law. No citizen is allowed to have more than a gallon in his possession, and if he has, it is also subject to seizure.

This will be carrying the fight against liquor to the last ditch. It is the outcome of the determination to enforce the prohibition laws of the State, and if it is not effective it will prove the inefficacy of prohibition. However, it will not prove that prohibition is altogether a failure, for even prohibition that does not totally prohibit may be a benefit to society at large. Enforcement of the search and seizure act with the aid of the Webb act outlawing inter-State shipments of liquor, will come pretty nearly preventing blind tigers and bootleggers from getting a supply of liquor to sell on the sly. It certainly will shut off the source of supply of the cheap class of law violators, but a different class may yet be able in their own way to receive liquor and violate the law. However, they will do it at great risk and not many are expected to undertake such a hazardous business since a living can be made in a better and safer business. Imprisonment and heavy fines will go a long ways towards deterring men from taking chances on making a living by dodging around to sell booze.

Just now liquor selling has in it no element of fascination or lucrativeness. It is severely under the ban and is menaced by the heel of the law. Yet, it depends upon the vigilance, determination and integrity of the State's law officers whether the Webb and search and seizure acts are to be enforced. If they are to be enforced no better than the prohibition act has been enforced in many communities where liquor was more or less openly sold, it is quite possible that they, too, can become dead letters on the statute books. It depends—depends on the officers of the law.

The Webb act itself has no other effect than to enable a prohibition State to enforce its laws, since the act of Congress simply removes from the State any restraint in interfering with liquor being conveyed as inter-State commerce. Indeed, the Webb act, within its meaning, removes liquors from among the commodities that will be recognized by the Federal government as inter-State commerce in prohibition States. It leaves that kind of inter-State commerce to the tender mercies of the State—to consider it a ruthless invader, a common outlaw, or simply liquid junk. Right there the Webb act stops, for that is all it can do, and even in aiming to do that, President Taft, by his veto, based on the opinion of his Attorney General, has said that it is unconstitutional. Other able lawyers have said it is constitutional, but at any rate it is law now and will continue to be the law until the Supreme Court of the United States rules to the contrary. It is not difficult to guess that sooner or later it will be put up to that tribunal.

While the Webb act stands, North Carolina will go right on enforcing her search and seizure act. That is, of course, a violent measure, for it may interfere with individual rights in many cases. While individuals will have their remedy in the courts, the severest trials will come to law officers who will have a disagreeable and dangerous duty to perform in enforcing the law. Imprudence and over zeal may get them into no end of difficulties, and in some instances they may have to shoot or be shot, since that has been the experience where similar acts have been in force.

Congressman Webb, therefore, was right when he said recently that it was now up to the States to enforce prohibition. The National government has done its part and no longer will have to take a particle of blame. He is right. Prohibition depends entirely upon the States.

DAIRYING IN THE SOUTH.

The Columbia State announces that Mr. William H. Caldwell, of Petersboro, N. H., secretary of the American Guernsey Club, is in that city on a visit to his friend, Mr. John G. Mobley, one of the most progressive farmers and stock raisers of South Carolina. Our esteemed contemporary says Mr. Caldwell, who has traveled all over the United States and Canada, in the interest of his club, is "very much impressed with the possibilities of the South, both industrially and agriculturally." He is especially interested in the dairy industry and thinks this section has much advancement to make along that line of endeavor. He says in an interview in the State:

"The cattle in the United States are decreasing, while the population is increasing. Correspondingly the dairy products are decreasing. In the South, where everything is favorable for this industry, I see no reason why dairy products, such as butter, cheese, etc., should not be produced in this section in abundance. It seems to me that you have pasture land in plenty, thickly covered with nutritious grass and clover, the best feed crops for milking cows; and this should be one of the principal reasons why this should be a good region to raise cattle for dairying purposes.

"Another thing," he continued, "your climate is so mild that you do not have to keep the cattle under shelter for a long time like the farmers of the North do. Continual confinement during inclement weather has a tendency to make cattle poor, and emaciated cows can not produce the best results. Your cattle have the benefit of balmy air and good feed practically the year round, and this can not but have a tendency to produce the best dairy products.

"In the North we have abundant ice and cold weather to keep dairy products from spoiling, and they, as you know, are highly perishable; but in the South they can not be kept for any appreciable length of time. But, to offset this, the demand for dairy products is so pressing that they can be sold at once. Therefore, the Southern dairyman can continually turn his money over, something that the merchant is always trying to do. Not like the merchant, the dairyman will have no 'old stock'."

Mr. Caldwell has a vision. He is right about the adaptability of this country for dairying. Cattle can find first-rate natural grazing even at this season, and especially in cultivated pastures. While speaking of our natural grazing and abundant forage during the growing season, he overlooked the fact that our cottonseed mills furnish the richest of all cattle food for Winter. Even if dairy products keep best in a cold climate, the South could build cold storage plants for keeping over such dairy products as it may not be desired to market as fast as they are produced. In fact, the cold storage is relied on everywhere in case of the necessity of storage for any length of time.

Mr. Caldwell's views are well taken. He easily sees the advantages of the South for cattle raising, and what he says ought to make the South get busy. He is in the business and knows.

The newspaper carries its tale of horror and sorrow, its revelation of vice and crime, and its story of sadness and tears, but it carries its message of achievement and success, of joy and gladness, and of sympathy and good cheer. Its columns picture life as it is every day and everywhere, and from its front page to its last it contains a variety that almost daily appeals to every sense that a human being is capable of feeling. It distresses and delights, it pains and gladdens, it pleases and displeases, but its aim in everything is to be a companion of enlightenment and the exponent of its community. The men who get up a newspaper are up against everything that it is in it and also are up against about everything else but a mountain of gold.

The most helpless being in a tornado is a man. It is worse than an earthquake, for it does not give as much warning, and its destructive force is felt but a few seconds. We have been up against both where they were bad. We would take an earthquake for ours every time. The man who tries to tell about a tornado talks like a prince of liars, but he isn't, for a tornado defies the puny imagination of the most vivid and robust liar that ever indulged his talent for exaggeration.

March went out like a roaring lion in nearly every place but Wilmington. In eastern North Carolina the March winds are tempered to the shorn lamb, and they blow away only the woodland perfume of ethereal Spring. March is always kind to Wilmington because it is located exactly to suit March.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The date set for the opening of the Missionary Movement for the United States at Black Mountain is June 27th. It will run to July 6th. The conference will be held in the recently completed building of the Blue Ridge Association. Right Rev. Robert Strange is booked as one of the platform speakers. Rev. Dr. Bronson Ray, of the Southern Baptist Convention, will be the presiding officer.—Charlotte Observer.

The North Carolina Sorosis at Wilmington is planning a strenuous campaign for the eradication of the mosquito and it is expected that $1,000 or more will be required to do the work necessary. The cause is a worthy one. Just as the house fly carries typhoid the mosquito carries malaria and each is a menace and a nuisance to the human race. The Sorosis could not undertake a more humanitarian enterprise than this.—Charlotte Chronicle.

The Wilmington Star steps forward with this: "Charlotte is to have a bachelor's hotel, but who would stop at a hotel where a crusty set of fellows would be lounging around smoking, and swapping grouches?" Why, other crusty fellows who want to smoke and swap yarns. All of them don't live in Charlotte although they visit the Queen City by the hundred, attracted by the beauty and grace of the feminine population of the Queen City.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Washington, April 1.—Memorial services for the late King George of Greece will be held in various cities of the United States tomorrow, the day the body will be buried at Athens. Charge Alexander Vouros and the staff of the Greek legation here will attend the services at the Greek church in Baltimore.

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(Advertisement.)

CRABTREE-STOTT INCIDENT

Apology Offered Evangelist — Other Wilson News of Interest

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., April 1.—The Board of County Commissioners held a called session yesterday to investigate the charges against W. A. Stott, keeper of the County Home, who, it was alleged, assaulted Rev. George W. Crabtree, an evangelist of the Southern Presbyterian Church. The testimony completely vindicated Rev. Mr. Crabtree and the Commissioners reprimanded Mr. Stott. In the hearing Mr. Crabtree stated that he did not wish to press the matter and insisted that in view of the fact that he believed that Mr. Stott was under the influence of liquor he was willing to accept an apology and allow the incident to pass. Mr. Stott denied drinking but acknowledged that he was angry.

The residence occupied by Joseph Gardiner, on Crowell street, was burned yesterday. The larger part of the furniture was saved. This is the third time within the past five years that Mr. Gardiner has lost through fire and being almost helpless, his case is pitiful.

Sneak thieves entered several houses Saturday night in the northwestern part of town. The residences of W. B. Ruffin and John Moore, of Maplewood avenue, and Robert Drake, on Spring street, are among those reported as having been attempted. Mrs. Ruffin frightened the thieves away with pistol shots. At the Drake home the thieves were more fortunate and secured $15.

Another mad dog was killed yesterday but not until after several other dogs were bitten.

A number of young people enjoyed a dance at Mamono Hall last night. The event was in honor of the Roberts-Patterson wedding which will occur Wednesday night.

Rev. Martin Ray, rector of St. Timothy's Episcopal church, of Wilson, has resigned his work here and leaves today for his former home in England. His work has been very acceptable here and his going causes many expressions of regret. Mr. Ray says that he prefers the English climate.

J. C. Warren, chief clerk in the offices of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad here, received a message yesterday calling him to Greensboro where his father was struck and instantly killed by a railroad train.

JULIA GERHART SUICIDES

Takes Poison When Negro Husband Followed Her to St. Louis

St. Louis, April 1.—Julia McFarlane-Gerhart, divorced wife of Charles B. Gerhart, brother of Frank H. Gerhart, progressive candidate for mayor of St. Louis, died here today at the boarding house of Mrs. Adeline Cox from the effects of poison she took two days ago. During the two days she had been unconscious.

She is said to have taken the poison after a long period of brooding because her negro husband, named L. W. Kellogg, had followed her here from St. Paul. After he had made several visits to her lodging house, Mrs. Cox challenged the negro, who, she said, showed her a marriage certificate and and demanded that he be allowed to see the woman he declared was his wife. Mrs. Cox, however, denied him admission thereafter.

The Gerhart divorce decree, obtained by the wife, gave her $2,100 a year as alimony and was handed down last November. Fifteen days later the marriage to the negro, who was butler in the Gerhart home, is said to have taken place in St. Paul. The suicide was a niece of the late Chief Justice George B. McFarlane, of the Missouri Supreme Court.

St. Paul, Minn., April 1.—Inquiry at the district court here failed to disclose the issuance of a marriage license to L. W. Kellogg and Julia MacFarlane-Gehart. Kellogg's name is not listed in the city directory.

CLOSES AFTER RUN

City Savings Bank of Atlanta, Goes Into Hands of State

Atlanta, Ga., April 1.—The City Savings Bank of this city, at the request of its directors, today went into the hands of the State Treasury Department, following a small run on the institution yesterday.

The bank was organized 15 months ago to do a savings business. At that time the institution took over the savings department of the Guarantee Trust & Banking Company, which at that time retired from the general banking business. R. H. McDougall is president of the City Savings Bank. Officers of the institution declare that the bank's depositors will receive 100 cents on the dollar. The last report of the institution to the State treasurer on January 27th, 1913, showed its capital stock paid in amounted to $43,129.94—authorized capital $50,000. Deposits of the institution are said to amount to $19,000 in checking accounts and $31,000 in saving accounts. Officers of the institution contend that the small run Monday was caused by unperified rumors.

372 MILES IN ONE FLIGHT

Aero Nonstop Record Made by Two German Lieutenants

Ploen, Germany, March 31.—Lieuts. Canter and Boehmer, of the German army, today completed a nonstop flight of 372 miles in an aeroplane, starting from Juterbog and flying by way of Berlin and Lubeck to the vicinity of this city.

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(Limit, 2.)

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VICTORY WAS COSTLY.

Bulgarians Paid Dearly for Capture of Adrianople.

Sofia, April 1.—According to an official report from Bulgarian army headquarters the capture of Adrianople cost the Bulgarians from 10,000 to 11,000 killed and wounded and the Servians 1,100. The Bulgarians made prisoners of 40 generals, 2,000 other officers and 60,000 men. The Bulgarian besieging forces numbered 129,000 men, with 380 guns. The Servians numbered 40,000, with 98 guns. The Turks had 200 siege guns and from 450 to 500 field pieces.

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CHAS. H. WHITE,
Tax Collector.

AFFECTS A. C. L. RELIEF DEPT

Employers' Liability Act Destroys Defense Afforded Heretofore in Suits for Damages for Injuries—No Action

The last Legislature enacted an employers' liability act which is practically the same as the act of Congress on the same subject, so that employes of a railroad or other common carrier in the State now have the same rights and privileges in case of injury or death that employes of common carriers in inter-State business have had.

The Federal law affected a large percentage of the railroad men in the State, anyway, and the State law makes the legislation uniform, covering the strictly intra-State phase of the subject.

A result of the law that is of local interest is that it destroys the defense of the Atlantic Coast Line heretofore afforded by the relief department of that company, in suits for damages by employes for personal injuries. The A. C. L. is the only railroad maintaining a relief department in North Carolina, and is one of only five that maintains such department, in the entire country.

The law was introduced January 31st by Senator Bryant and was ratified February 3rd. In the Legislatures of 1909 and 1911 the measure was introduced by Hon. Geo. W. Connor, of Wilson, and each time it was passed by the House but killed in the Senate. This time it went through the committee on favorable report and was passed without amendment by both branches of the Legislature. The railroads endeavored to have amendments accepted but their efforts were fruitless.

The full text of the bill follows:

"Section 1. That every common carrier by railroad shall be liable in damages to any person suffering injury while he is employed by such carrier, or in the case of the death of such employe, to his other personal representatives, for such injury or death resulting in whole or in part from the negligence of any of the officers, agents or employes of such carrier, or by reason of any defect or insufficiency due to its negligence, in its cars, engines, appliances, machinery, track, roadbed, works, boats, wharves or other equipment.

"Section 2. That in all actions hereafter brought against any such common carrier by railroad to recover damages, for personal injury to an employe, or where such injuries have resulted in his death, the fact that the employe may have been guilty of contributory negligence shall not bar a recovery, but the damages shall be diminished by the jury in proportion to the amount of negligence attributable to such employe: Provided, however, that no such employe who may be injured or killed shall be held to have been guilty of contributory negligence in any case where the violation by such common carrier of any statute enacted for the safety of employes contributed to the injury or death of such employe.

"Section 3. That in any action brought against any common carried to recover damages for injuries to, or the death of, any of its employes, such employe shall not be held to have assumed the risk of his employment in any case where the violation by such common carrier of any statute enacted for the safety of employes contributed to the injury or death of such employe, or the death or injury was caused by negligence.

"Section 4. That any contract, rule, regulation or device whatsoever, the purpose and intent of which shall be to exempt itself from any liability created by this act, shall to that extent be void: Provided, that in any action brought against such common carrier, under or by virtue of any of the provisions of this act, such common carrier may set off therein any sum it has contributed or paid to any insurance or relief benefit, or indemnity that may have been paid to the injured employe, or the person entitled thereto, on account of the injury or death for which said action was brought.

"Section 5. That the term 'common carrier,' as used in this act, shall include the receiver or receivers, or other persons or corporations charged with the duty of the management of the business of a common carrier.

"Section 6. That this act shall be in force from and after its ratification."

It will be noted that Section 4 is the one which puts the relief department out of business so far as a means of protection to the railroad is concerned. The fact that an employe has been paid a certain sum by the insurance or benefit department does not bar him from recovery of damages, though any money that he has received from the railroad shall be considered in the suit for damages.

The A. C. L. has taken no action as a result of the measure, and none will be taken, it is understood, until November. The law doesn't affect in any way the insurance policies carried by employes, which are guaranteed by the railroad. It has been rumored that the relief department would probably be abolished in the Fall, but when asked about this yesterday a railroad official said that no action had as yet been taken and, as stated, would not be until November.

In Section 2 of the new law there is a change made in the former legislation on the subject of negligence, the new law declaring that the fact that an employe contributed to his own injuries shall not bar him from recovery, though the jury shall diminish the amount of damages according to the degree in which the employe contributed to his injuries; but if the railroad in any case has violated a statute in regard to providing for the safety of employes, no employe shall be held to have contributed to his injuries.

IMPORTANT ADMIRALTY CASE

Bowers Southern Dredging Company Against Merchants & Miners'

In the United States District Court at Jacksonville, Fla., tomorrow an admiralty case of considerable interest and importance will come up, in which the Bowers Southern Dredging Co., of Galveston, Texas, is plaintiff and the Merchants & Miners' Transportation Co., is defendant. The suit arises from a collision between one of the plaintiff's dredges and a boat belonging to the defendant, at Jacksonville last January. The allegation is that the dredge was damaged to the extent of from $25,000 to $30,000. Robert Ruark, Esq., of this city, appears for the plaintiff, leaving for Jacksonville yesterday afternoon. He will be engaged on the case until the last of the week and will return to the city probably on Sunday.

Three Great Pictures.

Comedy on woman's suffrage, a romance of the underworld and a comedy of Irish wit in which hilarity reigns supreme at the Grand Theatre today. (Advertisement.)

FINE PROGRESS ON DOCKET

Number of Cases in Superior Court Disposed of Yesterday—None of Any Great Importance, However—Holly Case

Splendid progress was made in Superior Court yesterday in the way of clearing the docket of cases of minor importance. Court convened at 9 o'clock yesterday morning and worked through to 7 o'clock last night with a little over an hour for the noon recess. The hour of convening was found to be a little early so this morning court will not convene until 9:30 o'clock.

This morning Judge Justice will take up the question of whether J. C. Holly shall be tried at this term of court. Monday afternoon it was announced that the case would be called yesterday morning, bit it was not taken up yesterday on account of the illness of the defendant. It was reported around the Court House that Holly had erysipelas but this is denied, it being said that he is only suffering from a slight sprain in the foot. The defense will insist on a trial of the arson charge at this term of court. C. D. Weeks, Esq., of counsel for the defendant, said last night that it had been nearly three years since Holly had been incarcerated, that it had been about six months since the trial acquitting him of the charge of murder and that there had been one term of court since that time, therefore, the defense would urge trial at this term.

The grand jury found two true bills in capital cases yesterday. One was against Martin Milton, colored, for the murder of Henry Collins, colored, on March 15th, and the other was against James Teel, colored, accused of burglarizing the house of Mildred Davis, colored, on the night of February 19th. Both were arraigned at the afternoon session of court. The solicitor announced that he would not ask for first degree verdicts in either case. In the case against Milton he will seek second degree or manslaughter and in the case against Teel he will ask for second degree or larceny, depending upon the evidence developed in each case. It is not improbable that the cases will be disposed of today.

The grand jury also brought in a true bill in an indictment against W. G. Baldwin for assault with intent to kill Mary Stewart, colored, on February 1st, last. Baldwin, who is a well-known white man of Castle Haynes, was tried in the Recorder's court a few days ago on two charges—one for assault on Mary Stewart and the other for assault on Jim McIntire, and was sentenced to 12 months on the county roads in each case. Monday it was announced that the Recorder found he did not have jurisdiction in the case charging the defendant with shooting Mary Stewart, therefore the case was remanded to Justice Harriss to be sent up to Superior Court by him. The Recorder announced that he would leave the other case open for a few days. Yesterday morning Justice Harriss bound the defendant over to the Superior Court, putting him under $500 bond with J. W. Winders as surety. The bill of indictment returned by the grand jury reads as follows:

"The jurors for the State upon their oaths do present that W. G. Baldwin, late of the county of New Hanover, on or about the first day of February, 1913, at and in said county of New Hanover, did purposely, wilfully, feloniously and unlawfully commit an assault upon one Mary Stewart with a shot gun with intent to kill, maim and disfigure the said Mary Stewart, and did purposely, feloniously and unlawfully shoot, maim and disfigure the said Mary Stewart with said shot gun by shooting her in the right leg and causing the loss of said leg, thereby maiming, disfiguring and disabling the said Mary Stewart against the form of the statute in such case made and provided and against the peace and dignity of the State." The Baldwin affair will likely be investigated at this term of court.

The first case to be taken up in court yesterday morning was one in which Chas. Grady, a negro youth, was charged with the theft of a number of pieces of jewelry from Miss Mary Belle King. The boy entered a plea of guilty and after hearing the testimony of Miss King Judge Justice gave the lad 12 months on the roads. The court remarked that on account of the value of the stolen property he would have imposed a longer sentence but for the age of the defendant, who claimed to be only 14 years old, though he looked several years older than that.

Ida and Olive Holloman, colored, mother and daughter, were charged with receiving stolen goods knowing them to have been stolen and larceny, respectively, and were found guilty. The mother was sentenced to six months and the daughter to four months on the country farm, with privilege to the County Commissioners to hire the girl out. The girl is only 16 years old and is the mother of an infant only seven months old. Judge Justice remarked that though the daughter had done the stealing, he regarded the mother as equally responsible for the offense. The stolen property was some garments taken from the home of Mrs. W. T. Atkinson. Wm. J. Bellamy, Esq., represented the defendants.

Laney Ward, colored, was given six months on the roads, having been found guilty of stealing two bottles of whiskey from the Southern Express Company, where he was employed.

John Law, colored, was found not guilty of a charge of selling whiskey. Judge Justice said he would have the negro held until other charges could be preferred against him.

Caledcnia Roderick, a white woman, was charged with conducting a disorderly house. She was sentenced to two years on the county farm, the sentence not to take effect, however, until April 7th, when if she is found in the county she is to be taken to the farm.

H. H. Benson, a young white man, charged with assault with deadly weapon, was fined $100 and costs. Henry Brown, through his counsel, stated that he would not resist a verdict of guilty on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon. He was sentenced to three months on the roads. Nol pros with leave was taken in a case against George Raynor, charged with violating the prohibition law.

In the case against John Jackson, colored, accused of criminal assault on Lillian Wright, colored, about five years ago, the charge was changed at the instance of the solicitor to assault upon a female and the defendant was let off on the payment of $25 fine and costs.

The case against Albert Steljes, charged with retailing, was continued until the next term of court at the request of solicitor. Ruth Bennett, charged with vagrancy, was called and failed and capias was issued for her. A capias was also issued for Alex. Nash, charged with larceny.

Practically all of the afternoon session was taken up with the trial of a case against Cutler Swann, colored, charged with nuisance in that he rented a house at the southwest corner of 17th and Princess streets to Mollie Jeffries, a white woman, for immoral purposes. This is one of a batch of similar indictments brought against some eight or ten persons, both white and colored, by the January grand jury, and is the first of the number to be tried. Some of the cases were nol prossed with leave Monday. In the case tried yesterday it was established that Swann owned the house which was rented to the Jeffries woman; that he himself lived next door to her; that the house was frequently visited by men and women and that the police had been called there several times to quell disturbances. After considering the evidence for 25 or 30 minutes the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

Early in the day D. M. Bornemann entered a plea of guilty to a charge of renting one of his houses for immoral purposes and judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs.

The last case tried yesterday was one in which Maria Mack, colored, was charged with retailing. It came up on appeal from the Recorder's court, where she got a five months' sentence on the farm. After being out a short time the jury at 7:30 o'clock returned a verdict of guilty.

HIGHS TO PLAY DONALDSON

Fayetteville Military Boys Meet Wilmington High School Friday and Saturday—Local Boys Are Practicing

Local fans will have a further opportunity of showing their enthusiasm for the great National game Friday and Saturday of this week when the High School ball season begins with games with Donaldson Military Academy. The High School bunch has been practicing hard for several weeks under the direction of Mr. O. A. Hamilton, their coach, and it is expected that they will make a creditable showing against the crack Donaldson team.

The line-up of the visitors is not known, but they are said to have a strong team this year and two good games may be expected. The locals have one of the best teams the school has known. The line-up will probably be as follows: Burnett, catcher; R. Burnett, 1st base; Williams, 2nd base; Strange, 3rd base; Palmgren, short-stop; Merriman, left field; Hashagen or Thompson, center; Litgen, right; Grant, Monroe and Fenley will act as substitutes. The pitchers will be Jacobs, Shepard, Canady and Johnson.

In the series to be played with Donaldson, two of the games will be here and the third in Fayetteville at a later date. A good schedule has also been arranged with leading high schools of the State and the local public is expected to give loyal support. The High School crowd declare that so far as good games are concerned, they are able to put up a better article of the goods than has been witnessed here this season.

DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Number of Pieces of Property Change Hands, As Shown by Deeds

Following are the deeds filed for record yesterday in the office of the Register of Deeds at the Court House:

C. S. Burnett and wife to M. J. Griffin, for $100 and other considerations, lot on east side Front street, 188 feet north of Meares, 34x100 feet in size.

S. Sternberger and J. J. Furlong to A. K. Moore and J. D. Edwards, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north side Castle street, 66 feet west of 13th, 33x99 feet in size.

Edward Smith to Thos. A. Smith and wife, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north side of Red Cross street, 82 1-2 feet east of 7th, 46 1-2 by 66 feet in size.

Chas. C. Loughlin to Bettie H. Bridgers, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the southeast corner of Front and Kidder streets, 66x165 feet in size.

J. VanB. Metts and wife to Josie Brock, for $100 and other considerations, lot on west side of 19th street, 160 feet north of Market 40x95 feet in size.

Southern Realty & Development Co., to R. B. Terry, of Hamlet, for $100, lot 237 at Lake Side Park.

Rosetta Holly and husband, Geo. Holly, of New York, to Pembroke Jones, of Wilmington, for $10 and other considerations, lot near Wrightsville Sound, adjoining the Jones property, on the main public road, 200x330 feet in size.

Mrs. Willie Ann Price to Carl T. Miller, for $100 and other considerations, lot on southwest corner of 12th and Queen streets, 45x66 feet in size.

145 ARRESTS MADE IN MARCH.

As Compared With 228 in March 1912, and 186 During February, 1913.

The police blotter shows a record of 145 arrests during the month of March. During the same month last year there were 228 arrests and during the preceding month of February this year there were 186.

Of the 145 arrests made, 41 were white people and 104 colored; under the following heads: Drunk, 13 white and 16 colored; disorderly, 9 whites and 19 colored; assault with deadly weapons, 1 white and 13 colored; simple assault, 2 colored; larceny 3 white, and 7 colored; violating the prohibition law, 2 white and 4 colored; vagrancy, 3 white and 6 colored; violating dog ordinance, 2 white and 1 colored; carrying concealed weapons, 1 white and 6 colored; insane, 2 colored; assaulting females, 2 white and 7 colored; violating skating ordinances, 2 white and 1 colored; affray, 2 colored; violating driving ordinance, 1 white and 2 colored; speeding, 1 white and 2 colored; violating tax ordinance, 1 colored; gambling, 3 colored; murder, 1 colored; violating hitching ordinance 1 colored; housebreaking, 1 colored; army desertions, 1 white; obstructing sidewalk, 6 colored.

LOCAL PLAYERS TO GEORGIA.

Kite, Green and Bundy to Join Brunswick, Ga., League Team.

It is with regret that local fans part with Messrs. Bert Kite, Tom Green, H. Lutterlough and E. E. Bundy, members of the A. C. L. ball team, who have signed up with the Brunswick, Ga., team in the Empire State League for the coming season. Mr. Kite goes as manager of the team. Mr. Green will be in the pitching corps, Mr. Lutterlough will hold down second, and Mr. Bundy will play third. All four men are highly spoken of in the baseball news columns of the press, and that they will more than make good in professional ball this Summer doesn't have to be mentioned. Best wishes for a season of triumphs will follow them to the Empire State.

MR. WITTE FATALLY INJURED

Well Known Fruit Dealer Knocked Down and Run Over by Frightened Team—Liver Only Three Hours

About noon yesterday Mr. George C. Witte, principal owner of the Witte Fruit Co., No. 110 North Water street, was knocked down and run over by a frightened team at the delivery warehouse of the Atlantic Coast Line, near the foot of Red Cross street, and died in James Walker Memorial Hospital about three hours later.

Mr. Witte was walking along the driveway when the team, belonging to the Schloss, Bear & Davis livery stables, became frightened by a shifting engine which pulled by on the tracks close to the horses, and they made a leap forward with such force that one of the bits broke. This changed the direction of the frightened animals and they turned and bore down on Mr. Witte. The negro driver, Andrew Bell, and his two companions on the wagon could not control the team, and as Mr. Witte was almost entirely deaf, he did not hear the warning cries or the noise of the runaways. He was hurled to the ground and run over, it all happening in an instant. He rolled over, and sat up, but those who rushed to him immediately saw death stamped on his face. Drs. G. G. Thomas and J. H. Bornemann were hastily called from their offices in the A. C. L. building, and were soon with the unfortunate gentleman, who was promptly taken in an automobile to the hospital, where he passed away about 3 P. M.

The team, after striking Mr. Witte, ran into a corner of the warehouse and the horses broke loose from the wagon and the driver was dragged from his seat, after which he was able to stop them. From what could be learned from those who were at hand, it seems that after the bit broke, the driver was helpless to stop or control the animals.

Mr. J. R. Bear, of the livery firm, happened to be at the warehouse at the time and was one of those who reached Mr. Witte first. He stated that he had purchased the team about a week ago and that the horses had not before shown any sign of fright at objects in the city, and ascribed their running away to the proxmity of the shifter to them. The bit, he said, was a hand-forged Reilly bit and had been secured especially for this team. His regret because of the fatal accident was profound.

Mr. Witte was about 47 years of age and came here something over a year ago from Buffalo, N. Y., to engage in the wholesale fruit business. Mrs. Witte joined him during the Summer, and a daughter, Miss Sarah Witte, Sarah Witte, came about four months ago. They have been making their home at No. 305 North Fourth street. Other members of the family are two daughters in Monticello, Ga., Mrs. James Harvey and Mrs. T. O. Benton. The remains were taken to Mr. Jas. F. Woolvin's undertaking establishment yesterday afternoon and prepared for burial, and this afternoon at 3:15 will be taken on the Seaboard to Monticello, Ga., for interment. No services will be held here.

The friends of the family in the city and many who knew and esteemed Mr. Witte in business transactions, were inexpressibly shocked by the tragic event, and tenderest sympathy goes out to the bereaved ones in their great affliction and loss.

ANOTHER CANDIDATE

Friends of Mr. Walter W. Love Want Him for Postmaster

It became known yesterday that close friends of Mr. Walter W. Love, vice president of the D. L. Gore Company, were urging him to become an active candidate for the Wilmington postoffice, this support coming largely from members of the Woodrow Wilson Club of Wilmington, which did such signal service for the New Jersey Governor before the Baltimore convention and against terrible odds. Mr. Love was secretary and treasurer of the pre-convention Woodrow Wilson Club and with others of that small group made a signal fight for delegates to the State convention when the nomination was in doubt. While Mr. Love is not as yet an active candidate his friends hope to make him so within the next few days. He is a young man of splendid business qualifications, one of the original Wilson men and a young man who would bring credit to the postoffice service in Wilmington and to himself. Should Mr. Love yield to the importunities of his friends, he would go to Washington with very strong backing.

NEW ENGINEERING FIRM.

Mr. J. A. Loughlin, of Southport, Joins Mr. Rapalje.

An announcement of interest to the public is that by Mr. H. deW. Rapalje that he has associated with him Mr. J. A. Loughlin in the practice of civil engineering under the firm name of Rapalje & Loughlin, with offices in the Southern Building, this city. The new partnership is effective April 1st, 1913. Mr. Loughlin is a son of Capt. J. J. Loughlin, a leading business man of Southport, and is now the city engineer of that town. He has had large experience, both in this country and in the West and will be a valuable addition to the forces of Mr. Rapalje, who is Assoc. M. Am. Society C. E., and Associate A. I. E. E. They will do a general civil engineering business in this and adjoining counties.

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The easiest way to keep your hair youthful-looking, to prevent it from turning grey, is to use Hay's Hair Health. It gives absolute satisfaction and a few applications will restore natural color, give vitality to grey and faded hair and remove all traces of Dandruff. Beautiful natural colored, youthful-looking hair, more than anything else, contributes to a woman's good looks.

Hay's Hair Health is keeping thousands of women's hair glossy, natural colored and beautiful. You'll never regret buying it when you see the difference it makes in your appearance.

Free: Sign this adv. and take it to the following druggists and get a 50c. bottle of Hay's Hair Health and a 25c. cake of Harfina Soap, for 50c.; or $1.00 bottle of Hay's Hair Health and two 25c. cakes of Harfina Soap Free, for $1.

J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG CO.

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Regular Interest Quarter

April 1st and 2nd

All deposits made with us on or before these dates will draw interest from April 1st, and you will receive a full quarter's interest on July 1st.

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A Perfect Sanitary Sewer System and Artesian Water Makes it a Veritable Health Resort. All City Conveniences Guaranteed. Lots sold on Easy Terms.

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—We clothe the family. Our big chain of stores makes low prices for YOU.

Norfolk Suits for Men are Up-to Date This Season

FARLEY & CO.

116 Market Street

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Mrs. Wise will give a dance at the Cape Fear County Club on the evening of April 11th.

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This afternoon at 4 o'clock the Ladies' Concordia Society will hold the regular monthly meeting in the rooms at Harmony Circle and the members are earnestly requested to attend.

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The "Charity Ball" which had been planned by the Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters to take place on the evening of Thursday, April 3rd, has been abandoned because the sale of tickets was not sufficient to warrant the undertaking. All those who have purchased tickets may have their money refunded by returning the tickets.

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Arrangements are being made for a "Mystic Lawn Supper" to be given by the Trinity Methodist church, corner of Ninth and Market streets. Not only will the "Mystic" and regular supper be served on the lawn, but there will also be a fancy work booth in the basement of the church. Candies, ice cream, cake, oysters, coffee, lemonade, etc., will be on sale. In fact, it seems that the management is arranging to please the little folks, the middle size folks and the big folks—all. Many will be there to join in the fun of solving the mystery. If you go, you will have to keep your eyes open, remembering it is the foolish month of the year. The date is Tuesday, April 8th. All who are interested and who wish to contribute fancy work or other articles should send same to the parsonage.

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APPROACHING WEDDING OF POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE

Invitations reading as follows have been issued:

The Right Reverend and Mrs. Robert Strange
request the honour of your
presence at the marriage of their
daughter
Helen
to
Mr. Burke Haywood Bridgers
on the evening of Thursday, the tenth
of April
at half after six o'clock
at Saint James' church
Wilmington, North Carolina.

Commenting upon the approaching marriage the Raleigh News and Observer yesterday had the following:

"Miss Strange lived in Raleigh for several years while the bishop was pastor of Good Shepherd church, and subsequently while she was a student at St. Mary's school. Mr. Bridgers spent his boyhood days with Mrs. Burke Haywood but, after graduating at the University, returned to his home in Wilmington, where he is now practising law, being the son of Mrs. Preston L. Bridgers, of that city."

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DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

The musical entertainment given last night by the Baraca, Philathea and Helping Hand classes of the First Baptist church was one of the most enjoyable events of the kind that the young people have known. The church was very attractively decorated with smilax, ferns, palms and cut flowers, the blue, white and gold colors being carried out. The musical programme included selections by the Acme Quartette, composed of Messrs. Dosher, McGirt, Muse and Dosher; solo by Miss Carrie Bowen; quartette selection by Mrs. Joe Loughlin, Mrs. F. A. Muse and Messrs. Green Fenley and W. B. Muse; duet, Mrs. J. D. Edwards and Mrs. E. A. Muse; solo, Mrs. J. P. Whyte, accompanists being Miss Cannie Chasten, Mrs. H. B. Muse and Prof. Alf. Yopp. Over 200 people heard the superb rendition of these numbers. After the musical programme, cream, cake and fruit punch were served downstairs. The evening was decidedly a pleasant success in every way.

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CAST OF CHARACTERS IN "THE GIRL WHO DARED."

Following is the cast of characters in "The Girl Who Dared", which will be produced by local talent Friday evening in the Academy, under the direction of the author, Miss Burkheimer:

Lord John Buckingham, seeking a fortune—Mr. Frank Holloway.

Dick Brown, of the New York Herald—Mr. Joe Fenley.

Jack Guion, a young American—Mr. Fred Little.

Pierre, the Duke's valet—Mr. Will Parsley.

Hotel manager—Mr. P. B. Clement.

Joe, a bell boy—Robert DeRosset, Jr.

Virginia Nevil, the Girl, disguised as Mlle. Genie—Miss Bessie Burkheimer.

Mrs. Theodore Rothfield, title-seeking mother—Miss Mary Houston.

Dorothy Rothfield, an heiress—Miss Lucile Riley.

Lady Laura Wellington, aunt and guardian to Virginia—Miss Mary Owen Green.

Marie Dupont, maid to Virginia—Miss Florence Burkheimer.

Nell, a street singer—Miss Mary Pickett.

Carmen, a Spanish singer—Miss Birdie Miles.

Spanish girls—Misses Agnes Hayden, Rose Powers, Isabell Gaylord, Guerney O'Berry, Vivian Williams.

Ballet dancer—Miss Lucile Burkheimer.

Summer girls—Misses Marie Grainger, Katherine Williams, Sallie Wright, Almeria Stevenson and Lillian Taylor.

Yachting Chorus, Bathing Girls, Hotel Maids, Evening Gown Chorus and Rose Girls, etc.

Sale of seats commences this morning at Plummer's, prices $1.00, 75 and 50 cents. Another important rehearsal will be in the Academy tonight at 8 o'clock sharp.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. A. Dew, of Currie, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. L. Southerland, Jr., of Wallace, was a guest at The Orton last evening.

—Mr. G. S. James, of the Seaboard Air Line at Hamlet, spent last night in the city, a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. J. B. McFadyen, of Zara, Bladen county, was a visitor to the city yesterday on business.

—Mr. J. G. Corckran, representing Clendenning Bros., of Baltimore, is in the city, calling on the trade.

—Messrs. W. E. Patterson, of Newbern, and Jas. Christian, of Charlotte, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McNeal, Mrs. J. R. McNeal and Mrs. C. C. Branch, of Burgaw, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Among last night's arrivals at The Orton were N. C. Newbold, Washington, N. C., and J. D. Hardin, Goldsboro.

—Mr. Hartlett C. Broderick, who travels for the well known paper house of Irwin N. Megargee & Co., Philadelphia, is in the city on one of his regular business trips to customers.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The annual meeting of stockholders of the North Carolina Home Building Association will be held tonight at 8:30 o'clock, in the office of the secretary, 118 Princess street.

—To build a Sunday School room to the church, the sum of $1,105 was realized at the Easter rally at St. Stephen's A. M. E. church, Fifth and Red Cross streets.

—Mr. R. G. Geeslin, manager of the Fruit Growers' Express, or the Armour car lines, leaves today for the strawberry belt to visit shippers and discuss the situation generally.

—Building permits have been issued to Mr. Samuel Bear for a garage to cost $400, on Chesnut street, between Sixth and Seventh; and to R. D. Drew, for a two-story building for store and dwelling on Seventh street, between Nun and Church, to cost $2,000.

—A 12 o'clock, noon, yesterday an alarm was turned in from box 45, the kitchen of the house at No. 604 South Front street having caught from the stove. The damage was about $125. The house is occupied by Mr. H. H. Jordan and is owned by Mr. W. M. Cumming.

—R. B. Hunt, colored, was arrested yesterday on charges of extortion and carrying concealed weapons and will be heard today in the Recorder's court. He was recognized in the sum of $50. John Grady, colored, was arrested on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and Ephraim Brown, on a charge of disorderly conduct.

—The regular weekly meeting of the City Council will be held at 9:15 o'clock this morning. The most important matter to receive attention this morning is with regard to draining Macomber's ditch. The County Board of Health recently passed a resolution condemning the ditch as a menace to the health of the community and calling on the city officials to abate the nuisance.

BEGINS NEW DUTIES

Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., Qualified As County Solicitor Yesterday

Geo. L. Peschau, Esq., who has been assistant city attorney for past two years, resigning a few days ago a month before his term of office expired in order to accept the more important office of county solicitor, assumed his new duties yesterday morning, having qualified before Deputy Clerk of Superior Court Cyrus D. Hogue.

Mr. Peschau was named county solicitor in the bill which created the office, passed by the recent Legislature. The bill was effective February 24th, the day it was ratified, but Mr. Peschau continued in his old position until yesterday. He is appointed to serve until the first Monday in December, 1914, or until his successor is elected and qualified.

The bill provides that it shall be his duty to prosecute all cases before the Recorder's court of the county, to appear with the State at all coroner's inquests, to advise the Recorder in all matters appearing in his court, to advise the police department and to advise the Sheriff in all matters pertaining to the duties of his office as Sheriff, and to appear with the State solicitor in all State matters in the Superior Court when requested to do so by the State solicitor. The county solicitor is given full power to call upon the police force of the city or the Sheriff of the county, or either or all of his deputies to aid him in the service of any papers he may advise served or executed. The salary of the solicitor is fixed at $1,800 a year, payable $150 a month.

It is further provided in the bill that the clerk of the Recorder's court shall add 75 cents to the costs of all bills where the warrant charges violations of a city ordinance or where the warrant charges a crime of which a justice of the peace has final jurisdiction, and where the warrant charges any other offense or crime of which the Recorder's court has final jurisdiction, the clerk shall make the costs $1. The extra costs shall be termed solicitor's fee.

At the next general election and each two years thereafter a county solicitor shall be elected by the voters. The solicitor may be removed from office or any vacancy thereof filled in the same way that State solicitors may be removed or any vacancy filled.

MORE FUNDS FOR SUFFERERS.

Additional Money Contributed for the Relief of Western People.

Following are additional contributions for the relief of the flood victims in Ohio, and elsewhere, made through the Morning Star:

Council Sunday School, by W. B. Hobbs, Superintendent $10.00
"Friend" at Roseboro 1.00
Miss Mary A. Thompson 1.00
Total $12.00

The Union school, Miss Gibson's room, contributed through the Red Cross Society, reported by Mrs. Cuthbert Martin, the sum of $10.05, a total for yesterday of $22.05, and a grand total to date of $459.52.

Drug Business Open Tomorrow.

Mr. D. A. Elvington, who has been with Hardin's drug store, and who has purchased the Kingsbury Pharmacy, corner Second and Princess streets, from Mr. R. R. Bellamy, for whom he formerly worked, is taking an inventory of the business and will open his doors to the public tomorrow.

..Theatrical..

That big, jolly, laughing minstrel, "Joe" Coburn, and his merry company will be here again on next Monday, at the Academy. Everything bright and new, Coburn's Greater Minstrels, last year the year before, and the year before that they have been coming, every season getting bigger and better. Seats on sale Saturday.

At The Grand Theatre

Another big and delightful bill in vaudeville will be the offering at the Grand Theatre today and patrons of the pretty little theatre are advised to attend today. Harry Harris, the gifted singer, will have for his number a great spot light song, "The Ghost of the Goblin Man," and it will be one of the catchiest selections he has yet rendered in the fine repertoire he has. Then the bill will be augmented by all new music by The Grand orchestra and the pictures will be right up to the minute.

One of the big features in the pictures today will be the first presentation of an Esanay, "Finnegan," a comedy of Irish wit in which hilarity reigns supreme. This will put everybody in good humor. Then another sensationally strong picture will be "The Ferrets," a romance of the underworld in which crime and the majesty of the law will be found all supreme. The third picture will be another comedy offering on the extremely timely subject of Woman's suffrage. It is entitled "When Helen Was Elected," and it should be seen to be appreciated.

At The Bijou

Today is going to be one of stirring dramatic at the popular Bijou, although there will be enough of the light and bright comedy to act as a delightful and skilful foil. It is always 5 cents, afternoon or night.

And leading the great dramatic films today is the Vitagraph's latest, "The House in Suburbia," which will have in the stellar role no less a clever and popular actress than Miss Florence Turner. Lubin's "Home Sweet Home" is another big dramatic star today and it is a wonder. It tells of life on a barren coast, of ship wrecks, castaways and other exciting incidents. Still another powerful dramatic is a topliner in the Biograph's "A Welcome Intruder." It is one of the most intense of all film stories and is produced in most elaborate manner. There will be new, tingling music also today at the Bijou.

MOREHEAD HARBOR AMPLE.

Board is Not Convinced of Advisability of Improvement Now.

The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Washington, announces that it is not convinced of the advisability of the United States undertaking any additional improvement of Morehead City harbor at this time, because it is believed that the improvement furnished by the government is fairly commensurate with the needs of the locality as based on present and reasonably prospective commerce, and that additional expenditures are not justified by probable benefits to the general public. The River and Harbor Act approved July 25th, 1912, contained a provision for a preliminary examination of this harbor with a view of extending the present project westerly to the main channel of Bogue Sound, and to widening the channel in front of the wharves so as to provide a turning basin. The district officer has made the required examination and his report is favorable to the extent of recommending the authorization of plans and estimates looking towards the further improvement of the harbor by construction of a turning basin and a channel to Bogue Sound. Any one interested in the proposed improvement is invited to submit, in 30 days from April 1st, 1913, any statements and arguments bearing on the necessity for the improvement, and same should be addressed to "The Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, Southern Building, Washington, D. C." A hearing can be arranged by addressing the board, if such is desired.

BETTER PULLMAN NEEDED.

Steel Construction Should be Provided on Northbound Train.

Sentiment of the traveling public is very rapidly crystallizing toward an appeal to the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company for better and safer Pullman car accommodations on Trains 42 and 41, the morning and evening northbound trains between Wilmington and Washington. At present, Pullman sleepers on this important line are of wood construction and those who travel this important link of the Atlantic Coast Line are strongly of the opinion that this wood equipment should be replaced by coaches of the standard steel construction, now being adopted on all principal lines of the country for the purposes of public safety. It is pointed out that the Wilmington-Washington sleeper enjoys a very large patronage and that the full reservations nightly ought to ensure a much higher degree of safety and comfort. While the matter has not been brought officially to the attention of the Atlantic Coast Line people, if sufficient interest is manifested, the petition will likely be made in the very near future.

National Canned Foods Week

To Housewives, the Country Over!

Dealers, grocers, jobbers and manufacturers during this week will participate in a GREAT SALE OF CANNED FOODS to prove to millions of housewives the purity, cleanliness and quality of these low-cost foods. We want you to try an assortment. See what you can save.

Use Canned Foods a month. Serve them daily—fruits, vegetables, fish, meat and milk. You can serve them in hundreds of forms and ways deliciously appetizing. See, at the end of each week, what you save on the high cost of living. They are ready cooked. They save money on fuel. All these foods are the purest foods produced.

The Highest Authorities

I had written for perhaps ten years warning American women against canned foods. I said, put them up at home or go without them. I beg them now to use canned foods. We are proud to have them on our table.
MARION HARLAND.

For seasons of natural shortage, for periods, places and times when fresh goods are not available, the canned goods fill a most important place in the modern dietary, and the wholesomeness, palatability and convenience of the products are in most instances unquestionable and under modern conditions of life they are filling a larger and larger need.
DR. HARVEY W. WILEY.

These canned goods were essential to the subsistence of the troops in the Philippines who were scattered through the Islands and subjected to unsanitary conditions and surroundings. But the general good health of the army there, especially during cholera and plague epidemics, when canned goods were principally used, was primarily due to the variety and wholesomeness of the canned foods.
BRIG.-GEN. HENRY G. SHARPE,
Commissary Department, U. S. A.

There can be little doubt in the mind of anyone who has visited a modern canning factory where fruits and vegetables are being prepared for the market, that the product is actually cleaner than when prepared in the ordinary home kitchen.
MRS. NELLE D. CHENOWETH,
Formerly of Household Science Dept., University of Illinois.

Heat at 250 Degrees—The Only Preservative

We use only heat as a preservative, with sometimes a savor of sugar or salt. Our canneries are close to our supplies. Usually not more than four or five hours pass from the time these foods are taken from their natural surroundings until they are sealed in the cans and sterilized at 250 degrees, ready for the market.

They are fresh when we can them—and just as fresh when you open them as the day they were prepared. They are perfectly pure, clean and wholesome. They are even served to convalescents in hospitals, because physicians know that canned foods are absolutely protected from the dirt and contamination to which the so-called fresh fruits and vegetables are exposed.

What Dr. Wiley Writes

Look in your newspapers during Canned Foods Week for articles by food specialists—by Dr. Wiley, Marion Harland and others who know Canned Foods and their values. These people recommend Canned Foods because of their purity, flavor and healthfulness.

Then See Your Dealer

Then go to your dealer and get an assortment of Canned Foods to serve for a month on trial. Do that and you'll always serve them. You'll please the whole family. You'll save on your bills. Dealers everywhere this week are making Canned Foods their SPECIAL SALES FEATURES.

Go see your dealer. See his assortment and choose what you like best, to try.

THE NATIONAL CANNED FOODS WEEK COMMITTEE

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NEW AUTO LAW EFFECTIVE.

No One Under 16 Years of Age Can Operate Motor on Public Road.

The new automobile law passed by the recent Legislature was effective yesterday. It contains a number of new features, a notable one being the provision that no person under 16 years of age shall drive a motor along a public highway. Drivers of horse-drawn vehicles must pull to the right from the road center, as must the chauffeurs.

The tax is changed so that instead of $5 annual tax and $1 for annual renewal of license, there is a tax of from $5 to $10, graded according to horse-power. Number cards, heretofore purchased from the Secretary of State, will be furnished free by that official. Distinctive license numbers will be furnished dealers in automobiles, for $10 and duplicates at $1 each. Each year the design and color of number cards will be changed so as to instantly show whether a machine is properly registered.

The law strictly forbids throwing glass or other sharp substances in the public highways. This has been done in different communities by persons who allowed their prejudice against motor vehicles to run away with them.

The revenue derived from the license tax is to be divided between the county and the State, the county getting 80 and the State 20 per cent. The county authorities are to use the money as they wish. The law applies to all motor vehicles except fire trucks, police patrols, ambulances, etc.

Lands 40-Pound Drum.

Mr. W. E. Yopp, whose love of fishing is notorious, landed a 40-pound drum at Middle Sound yesterday, which is the record catch with hook and line this season. He was using a No. 18 Cuttyhunk line.

FREE! FREE! A DROP-HEAD SEWING MACHINE

and a BOY'S BICYCLE to be given away SATURDAY, APRIL 19th, at 5:00 P. M., at J. W. H. FUCHS' DEPARTMENT STORE. Get particulars at store. Note some of the sensational prices we are making:

Wednesday, April 2
At 10 A. M. we will sell 50 Ladies' Black Petticoats, 75c values
For 25 Cents
Limit, two to a customer. See them on display in the show window.

Thursday, at 10 A. M.,
We will sell 25 Corset Covers made from good material and nicely trimmed, regular 35c values
For 15 Cents.

Friday, at 10 A. M.,
We will sell Enameled Ware, consisting of Stew Pans, Sauce Pans, Tea Pots and Baking Pans, values up to 50c and 65c,
For 25 Cents.

Saturday, at 10 A. M.,
We will sell Ladies' Shirt Waists, values up to 65c, and we will sell twenty-five,
For 25 Cents
each. Limit, two to a customer.

FASHIONABLE WEARING APPAREL FOR LADIES AND MISSES.

Gathered from the Northern and Eastern Markets. In presenting to you this dazzling array of Ladies' and Misses' garments we are showing the very latest in style and design and the prices are the lowest ever recorded for dependable merchandise.

Blue Serge Coat Suits, regular $12.50 values, for **$8.98**
Coat Suits made in all the new styles, in Blues, Tans, Grays and Browns, in Serges, Whip Cords, Bedford Cords and Diagonals; $25.00 values, for **$19.89**
$3.50 buys a dainty Washable White Cotton Corduroy or Brown Linen One-Piece Dress, worth $7.50, for only **$5.50**
$12.00 buys a Charming, Heavily Embroidered White Voile Dress. The front of the Dress, both Waist and Skirt, is heavily Embroidered and trimmed with Insertion of Crochet Lace, and a Messaline Girdle; only **$12.00**
$6.50 buys a Dainty Washable White Voile Dress, nicely trimmed and Embroidered, for **$6.50**
Tan and Blue Linen Crash Coat Suts, featuring all the new styles for Spring and Summer; prices from ..... **$6.50 to $10.00**
A full line of Skirts; Voiles, Panamas, Serges and Wash Skirts of all descriptions; prices **$1.98 to $5.00**
Blue, Tan, Pink and Black Cotton Messaline Drop Skirts, each **$1.00**
Black Sateen Petticoats **50c**
Children's School and Street Hats, nicely trimmed **$1.25**
$1.00 Black Sateen Petticoats **75c**
Ladies' and Misses' White Lawn Shirt Waists **50c**
Ladies' and Misses' Shirt Waists, made from the best material and nicely trimmed, only **$1.00**
$2.25 Shirt Waist **$1.75**
$3.00 buys a charming Hand-Embroidered Waist, trimmed with Baby Irish Lace; only **$3.00**
Middy Blouses, specially priced at **89c**
Ladies' Silk Union Suits, made from the finest lustrous White Silk, and every thread guaranteed to be Pure Silk. This suit is made with Low Neck, and is Sleeveless; these garments are Knee Length with open drawers; all edges bound with silk tape. Regular $5.00 value, for **$3.00**
Ladies' Low Neck Sleeveless White Silk Vests. Every thread in this garment is guaranteed to be Pure Silk; only **$2.00**
Ladies' Corset Covers **25c**
Ladies' Umbrella Drawers **50c**
Ladies' Muslin Gowns **50c**
Muslin Gowns, nicely trimmed, in lace, and made from good quality material; only **$1.00**

A smart, well tailored, all wool Suit, for only $15.00
The Suit of a gentleman and of a man of fashion. This is positively one of the biggest values ever offered. Why should you pay $25.00 to $30.00 for a made-to-measure suit when you can get a Faultlessly Ttolord, Up-to-Date, Snappy Perfect Fitting Suit for only $15.00
We carry these suits in all styles and fabrics. The staple Blue Serge Fancy Worsteds and Cassimeres made in Norfolk styles or three-button sacks. We guarantee the workmanship to be the very best and can fit you to perfection.
Men's Imported Straw Hats. A new line of Spring and Summer Hats in all styles and shapes, imported direct from Italy, prices, $2.00 to $4.00
A complete line of Gents' Furnishings in all the new styles for Spring and Summer. Negligee and Dress Shirts, 50c to $1.50
Underwear for Men and Boys, a garment, 25c to $1.00

BOYS' CLOTHING.

Busy boys and busier mothers are invited to visit this store and see the variety of Patterns, the up-to-dateness in style and the perfection in fabrics shown in our Boys' Department.
Every garment is made specially to please the mother and the boy and to give entire satisfaction in every detail.
Boys' Knickerbocker Suits, College Peg Top style, is more popular than ever this season. Coat with front and back yoke and box plaits, carefully tailored, close-fitting collar and shoulders, high grade lining, pants cut full, College Peg Top style for $9.98
Medium gray All-Wool Cassimeres. Snappy black and gray Diagonal Weave, soft, smooth finish, broken invisible novelty stripes. Nothing newer or more pleasing for $7.50
Blue Serge, extra fine close weave, all seams reinforced, will not rip, always stylish and in heavy demand, prices $5.50 to $10.00
Extra large assortment of Boys' Knickerbocker Knee Pants Suits for $3.75

J. W. H. FUCHS' DEP'T STORE

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Silk Cravenette Pumps

For Street Wear

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Financial and Commercial

OLD CROP MONTHS A FEATURE

They Were Firm While Later Deliveries Were Easy and Quiet—Market Closed Steady and From 1 to 16 Points Higher

New York, April 1.—The firmness of old crop months was the feature of the cotton market today and while this seemed to grow partly out of apprehensions regarding the new crop start, later deliveries were comparatively easy and quiet. The market closed steady and from 1 to 16 points net higher. The opening was steady, at an advance of 2 to 3 points in sympathy with relatively steady cables. There seemed to be quite a good deal of cotton for sale around 12c. for July and prices reacted a point or two during the early trading. Offerings, however, were very readily taken, partly by foreign buying, and the market soon became firmer. Reports that the replanting rendered necessary by recent cold weather in the extreme South might curtail the Summer month movement, continued apprehensions of floods in the Mississippi valley and reports that peace terms had been practically arranged, proved to be factors on the advance. People who watch the trading carefully claimed to see no indications of a broadening outside demand, but early Wall Street sellers were credited with covering and the steady ruling of Southern spot markets probably contributed to the increase of old crop premiums. At any rate, May sold up to 12.29, or 21 points net higher, while July touched 12.16, or 39 points above the closing figures of last night, while the new crop showed net gains of only 9 or 10 points. Good weather reported in the South and forecasted for tomorrow may have explained the relative easing of the later months in face of the Mississippi flood prediction, and Southern houses seemed to have October selling orders. The close was a few points off from the best, under realizing. Private wires from New Orleans claimed there was a heavy short interest in May and July and Little Rock reported a better spot demand, although spot people here from Norfolk said they were unable to sell Europe or New England mills.

Spot closed steady. Middling uplands, 12.60; middling gulf, 12.85. Sales, 4,795 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Jan	11.53	11.61	11.53	11.55
Apr	12.20	12.19	12.19	12.33
May	12.10	12.29	12.08	12.25
June	.....	.....	.....	12.14
July	12.00	12.16	11.98	.....
Aug	11.91	12.05	11.88	12.01
Sept	.....	11.72	11.59	11.63
Oct	11.55	11.63	11.52	11.55
Nov	11.56	.....	.....	11.56
Dec	11.59	11.65	11.54	11.59

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12 1-16; net receipts, 8,320; gross receipts, 8,320; sales, 1,738; stock, 226,575; Great Britain, 8,821; coastwise, 3,887.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 3-16; net receipts, 1,806; gross receipts, 1,807; sales, 1,260; stock, 108,060; Great Britain, 3,209.

Mobile—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 380; gross receipts, 380; sales, 150; stock, 16,157; coastwise, 1,177.

Savannah—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 2,973; gross receipts, 2,973; sales, 606; stock, 80,078; coastwise, 1,074.

Charleston—Steady, 12⅜; net receipts, 132; gross receipts, 132; stock, 31,763; coastwise, 25.

Wilmington—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 208; gross receipts, 208; stock, 19,185.

Norfolk—Steady, 12½; net receipts, 1,112; gross receipts, 1,142; sales, 893; stock, 50,929; coastwise, 653.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12¾; net receipts, 441; gross receipts, 441; stock, 8,356.

New York—Steady, 12.60; gross receipts, 1,052; sales, 4,975; stock, 126,834; coastwise, 859.

Boston—Quiet, 12.60; net receipts, 59; gross receipts, 1,941; stock, 17,697; Great Britain, 555; continent, 200.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 12.85; gross receipts, 102; stock, 2,027.

Texas City—Net receipts, 884; gross receipts, 884; stock, 19,547; Great Britain, 100; coastwise, 125.

Brunswick—Stock, 10,015.

Jacksonville—Stock, 1,518.

Pensacola—Net receipts, 6,511; gross receipts, 6,511; continent, 6,511.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 5,464; gross receipts, 5,464; Japan, 5,464.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 28,288; Great Britain, 12,676; continent, 6,711; Japan, 5,464; stock, 727,661.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 52,353; Great Britain, 17,604; continent, 27,219; Japan, 5,464.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,822,307; Great Britain, 2,997,176; France, 908,294; continent, 2,857,335; Japan, 260,321; Mexico, 5,150.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 4,842; gross receipts, 4,842; shipments, 5,593; sales, 2,253; stock, 111,738.

Augusta—Steady, 12⅝; net receipts, 380; gross receipts, 380; shipments, 1,550; sales, 667; stock, 67,593.

Memphis—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 564; gross receipts, 1,157; shipments, 2,241; sales, 2,000; stock, 125,297.

St. Louis—Quiet, 12½; net receipts, 52; gross receipts, 1,329; shipments, 1,277; sales, 80; stock, 20,890.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 297; gross receipts, 297; shipments, 84; stock, 24,383.

Little Rock—Steady, 12¼; net receipts, 15; gross receipts, 15; shipments, 1; stock, 33,217.

Greenville—Quiet, 12¼.

Total today—Net receipts, 6,150; gross receipts, 8,020; shipments, 10,749; sales, 5,580; stock, 392,118.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, April 1.—Spot cotton, quiet; prices, easier. American middling fair, 7.47; good middling, 7.13; middling, 6.91; low middling, 6.73; good ordinary, 6.39; ordinary, 6.05.

Sales, 7,000 bales, including 500 for speculation and export, and included 4,800 American. Receipts, 4,000 bales, including 3,100 American.

Futures opened quiet and closed very steady. April, 6.70½; April and May, 6.69½; May and June, 6.68½; June and July, 6.65½; July and August, 6.60; August and September, 6.48¼; September and October, 6.33; October and November, 6.24; November and December, 6.21; December and January, 6.19½; January and February, 6.18½; February and March, 6.19; March and April, 6.20½.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 1.—Turpentine, easy; machine barrels, 46.

Savannah, April 1.—Turpentine, firm, at 1:42; sales, none; receipts, 148; shipments, 170; stocks, 14,911.

Rosin—Nominal. Sales, none. Receipts, 360; shipments, 2,238. Stocks, 88,739. Quote: A, B, 5.10@5.20; C, D, 5.15@5.20; E, 5.20@5.22½; F, 5.25@5.27½; G, 5.30@5.37½; H, 5.40; I, 5.60@5.65; K, 6.25; M, 6.95; N, 7.30; W G, 7.40; W W, 7.60.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 1.—Money on call, strong at 3½@6 per cent.; ruling rate, 6; closing bid, 4¼; offered, 4½. Time loans, easier; sixty and ninety days and six months, 4¾@5 per cent.

Prime mercantile paper, 6 per cent. Sterling exchange, steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8325 for sixty day bills, and at 4.8725 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.82¾. Bar silver, 57⅝. Mexican dollars, 44½. Government bonds, weak; railroad bonds, strong.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 1.—The cotton goods markets were generally steadier, with trade showing more stability for the day. Silk selling agents are hopeful of an early settlement of the troubles in dyeing and finishing establishments, where the output is being restricted. Yarns are quiet.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Core, Fayetteville, S. M. King.
Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.
Str. Lyon, Edge, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

Cleared.

Str. Lisbon, Black, Tar Heel, J. W. Brooks.
Str. City of Fayetteville, Core, Fayetteville, S. M. King.
Str. Duplin, Stokes, Smith's Bridge, J. W. Brooks.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Strathardle (Br.), 2,823 tons, Lamont, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Stephen G. Loud, 495 tons, Graham, Maffitt & Wood.

Barges.

Barge J. T. Hooper, 697 tons, Dewitt, Maffitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)
Wilmington, March 22.

Market—Dull.
North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 75c.; maenine picked, 70c.
Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.20; machine-picked, $1.15.
Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 86c.; machine-picked, 80c.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, 41c per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $4.80 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $3.00 per barrel for hard; $4.00 per barrel for dip, and $4.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 46; rosin, 6.70; tar, 1.90; crude turpentine, 3.50 per barrel for hard; 4.50 for dip; 4.50 for virgin.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	(—)
Rosin	(—)
Tar	3
Crude Turpentine	3

Receipts same day last year, 12 casks spirits turpentine; 102 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar; 29 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Quiet, 12¾.

Same day last year—Firm, 10½ for middling.

Receipts, 206; same day last year, 1,672 bales.

Total receipts, since Sept. 1st, 322,947 bales.

Total receipts same time last year, 484,268 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 1.)

CORN—Firm, 75c. per bu.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, 85c. to 90c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 65c. to 80c.

PEAS—Dull. White, $2.50; cow peas, $1.50 to $1.60 per bu.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—9 to 11c.

WOOL—Burry, 10 to 14c. per lb.; free of burr, 20c. per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 16 to 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12½c to 13c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY—Chickens, good demand. Grown, 45@50c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head. Turkeys, on foot, dull, 15c.; dressed, 20c.

EGGS—Very dull, 18c. to 19c.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port of Wilmington.

Wilmington, N. C., April 1.

Atlantic Coast Line—79 bales cotton; 3 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.
Seaboard Air Line—118 bales cotton.
Clyde Line—9 bales cotton.
Total—206 bales cotton; 3 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., March 24.—Spanish—Market, steady. Farmers' Spanish, $1.27½ per bushel. No. 1, shelled Spanish, 7c. per lb. No. 2, shelled Spanish, 5c. per lb.

Virginias—Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb. Fancy, 3½c. per lb.; Prime, 3c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3c. to 3¼c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb. Shelling Stock, 2½c. per lb.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 1.—Flour, quiet, but steady.

Wheat—Quiet. No. 2, red, 1.10½@1.12; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 1.00¼.

Corn—Steady; exports, 58½.

Wool—Quiet.

Rice—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Molasses—Steady.

Sugar—Raw, easy; refined, steady.

Butter—Barely steady.

Cheese—Irregular.

Leather—Firm.

Coffee—Futures, steady. Sales, 86,750. Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 12; Santos, No. 4, 13½; mild, dull; Cordova, 25@17, nominal.

Butter—Barely steady.

Eggs—Unsettled.

Potatoes—Easy; Bermuda, barrel, 6.50@7.00; Maine, in bulk, 10.50@20.50.

Cabbages—Steady, unchanged.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Strong and higher, early, on further buying by refiners and outside interests. Prices made new high records, but the advance was checked by profit-taking and late in the day the market was weak, closing net unchanged to 2 points higher. Prime crude, 5.60@5.67; do. Summer yellow, spot, 6.70@6.90; April, 6.73; May, 6.78; June, 6.83; July, 6.86; August, 6.90; September, 6.91; October, 6.79; prime Winter yellow, 7.00@7.50; do. Summer white, 6.75@7.50.

HEARING APRIL 26TH.

Receiver Asked for Atlanta Telephone & Telegraph Company.

Atlanta, Ga., April 1.—Hearing on a bill in equity filed by the Fidelity Trust Company, of Rochester, N. Y., seeking to foreclose a mortgage on the Atlanta Telephone & Telegraph Company and to have a receiver appointed, today was set for April 26th, by Judge Newman, of the United States Court here.

The petition is based on the allegation that a sinking fund payment, agreed to by the parties in the litigation, has not been complied with. The petitioner asserts that the Fidelity Trust Company of Rochester holds a deed of trust given by the Atlanta company covering all its property and bonds issued by the defendants amounting to $1,000,000.

Washington, April 1.—Former Governor John Burke, of North Dakota, today took the oath of office as treasurer of the United States, succeeding Carmi A. Thompson, who turned over $1,426,422,051.48 2-3 to the custody of the new Democratic official. The 2-3 cent is part of a Tennessee State bond held in the assets of the government.

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and take out all inflammation in one day, apply the wonderful, old reliable DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL. Relieves pain and heals at the same time. 25c, 50c, $1.00.

(Advertisement.)

STOCK MARKET WAS STRONG

Gains of 1 to 3 Points Were Well Distributed Among Standard Issues—Speculative Favorites Shared in Rise

New York, April 1.—Gains of 1 to 3 points were well distributed among the standard stocks today. The market was the broadest and strongest of several weeks, both the speculative favorites and the standard investment stocks sharing in the rise. New high prices for the rise which began more than a week ago, were established. Traders were influenced by the resistance of the market recently to unfavorable news. The death of J. P. Morgan yesterday and flood news of last week proved of little effect on the list, and indications were that the market was oversold. A great source of strength was European buying. Pennsylvania's February reports showed a gain of nearly $1,500,000 in total operating revenue, but a rise in expenses of over $2,000,000, so that net earnings decreased $534,000. New York Central reported a net gain of $884,000.

Bonds were strong. All United States bonds declined, losses running from ⅛ to ⅜ on call. Total sales today, 494,500, including Amalgamated Copper, 41,300; American Tobacco, 400; A. C. L., 300; C. and O., 2,200; Lehigh Valley, 10,500; L. and N., 1,100; N. and W., 700; Reading, 100,500; Seaboard, 300; do. pfd., 400; Southern Railway, 1,400; do. pfd., 500; Tennessee Copper, 1,000; Union Pacific, 48,500; U. S. Steel, 108,800; V. C. C., 100.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	74⅜
American Agricultural	53½
American Beet Sugar	33
American Can	34⅛
American Can, pfd (ex. div.)	97⅜
American Car and Foundry	52⅛
American Cotton Oil	47
American Ice Securities	25⅛
American Linseed	10¼
American Locomotive	38½
Amer. Smelting and Ref	71¼
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	103½
American Sugar Ref	114⅝
American Tel. and Tel	132½
American Tobacco	243
Anaconda Mining Co	38⅛
Atchison	103
Atchison, pfd	100
Atlantic Coast Line	124¾
Baltimore and Ohio	101¼
Bethlehem Steel	36⅞
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	90⅜
Canadian Pacific	238
Central Leather	27¾
Chesapeake and Ohio	72
Chicago Great Western	15
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	112⅛
Chicago and North Western	136
Colorado Fuel and Iron	36⅛
Consolidated Gas	134½
Corn Products	11⅜
Delaware and Hudson	160¼
Denver and Rio Grande	20½
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	34½
Distillers' Securities	17⅛
Erie	28⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	45½
Erie, 2nd pfd	35
General Electric	140⅝
Great Northern, pfd	130¼
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	36½
Illinois Central	122
Interborough-Met	17⅜
Interborough-Met., pfd	59½
Inter-Harvester	105½
Inter-Marine, pfd	17⅛
International Paper	10½
International Pump	19⅜
Kansas City So'Huthern	24⅞
Laclede Gas	101
Lehigh Valley	160
Louisville and Nashville	136⅜
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	137½
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	26⅝
Missouri Pacific	38½
National Biscuit	115
National Lead	48⅜
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	24
New York Central	106⅛
New York, Ont. and Western	30⅜
Norfolk and Western	107
North American	77
Northern Pacific	118½
Pacific Mail	26½
Pennsylvania	119
People's Gas	111
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	96
Pittsburg Coal	20¼
Pressed Steel Car	28
Pullman Palace Car	159
Reading	163⅜
Republic Iron and Steel	26⅜
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	86¼
Rock Island Co	22⅞
Rock Island Co., pfd	38½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	26
Seaboard Air Line	20
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	44⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	36
Southern Pacific	102¼
Southern Railway	26½
Southern Railway, pfd	80¼
Tennessee Copper	36
Texas and Pacific	18½
Union Pacific	154½
Union Pacific, pfd	86
United States Realty	68
United States Rubber	64⅛
United States Steel	63
United States Steel, pfd	108¾
Utah Copper	53⅞
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	34½
Wabash	3⅝
Wabash, pfd	11⅝
Western Maryland	40½
Western Union	70¾
Westinghouse Electric	66
Wheeling and Lake Erie	6

WILL TAKE MUSICAS BACK.

Must Return to New York—Father May Remain.

New Orleans, April 1.—Phillip and George Musica, arrested here several weeks ago with their father, Antonio Musica, and Arthur, another son, on charges of fraud in connection with exportation of human hair from New York, probably will be taken back to New York tomorrow. Attorneys for the Musicas have asked District Attorney Whitman that the aged father, who suffered an attack of heart trouble a week ago, and Arthur, who is caring for him, be permitted to remain until the father's health improves.

The two Musica girls, Louise and Grace, who were held as witnesses for several days and then released, also probably will remain with their father.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain judgment, rendered at the September term, 1912, of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, in an action therein pending entitled: Rebecca L. West vs. Mary L. Willard, et al, I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door, in Wilmington, N. C., on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1913, at 12 o'clock M., the following piece, parcel or lot of land, lying and being in the City of Wilmington, County of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, and more specifically described as follows, to-wit:

"Situate and lying in the City of Wilmington, County and State aforesaid, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the Eastern line of Third street sixty-six (66) feet Southwardly from where the Southern line of Chestnut street is intersected by the Eastern line of Third street; thence running Southwardly along the said Eastern line of Third street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Eastwardly and parallel with Chestnut Street two hundred and two (202) feet; thence Northwardly and parallel with Third Street sixty-six (66) feet; thence Westwardly and parallel with Chestnut Street two hundred and two (202) feet to the Eastern line of Third Street, the beginning; it being the western part of lots 1 and 2, in block 180 of the official plan of the City of Wilmington."

Terms of sale are for cash, and the sale is subject to confirmation by the court.

This 21st day of March, A. D. 1913.

J. O. CARR, Commissioner.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

April 2, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 56 degrees; at 8 P. M., 60 degrees; maximum, 71 degrees; minimum, 54 degrees; mean, 62 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .00.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 24.6 feet and rising slowly.

Weather Forecast:

For North Carolina—Fair Wednesday; Thursday, increasing cloudiness.

The Port Calendar—Apr. 2.

Sun rises	5:58 A. M.
Sun sets	6:32 P. M.
Day's length	12 hrs. 35 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	6:52	7:14	1:42	2:10
Southport	5:00	5:33	11:22	11:33
Masonboro Inlet	4:31	5:04	10:53	11:04

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

April 1, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	90	52	.0
Asheville	clear	60	44	.0
Atlanta	clear	70	52	.0
Augusta	clear	76	54	.0
Birmingham	clear	76	52	.0
Boston	clear	46	38	.0
Charleston	clear	70	58	.0
Charlotte	clear	70	50	.0
Chicago	cloudy	60	40	.0
Galveston	foggy	70	64	.0
Jacksonville	clear	80	62	.0
Memphis	clear	78	56	.0
Mobile	clear	80	62	.0
Montgomery	clear	80	60	.0
New Orleans	clear	76	62	.0
New York	clear	54	40	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	84	48	.0
Pittsburg	clear	52	38	.0
Raleigh	clear	66	50	.0
Savannah	clear	78	62	.0
Shreveport	clear	82	60	.0
St. Louis	clear	68	50	.0
Washington	clear	58	46	.0

ANNOUNCEMENT

At the request of many voters and taxpayers, I hereby announce myself a candidate for Councilman from the First Ward. I stand for economy, equal rights and just taxation, and will require results for the money of the taxpayers expended during my term of office if elected. The support of all who are in accord with these views is earnestly solicited.

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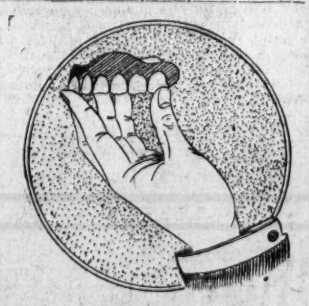

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MORE LEVEES GO IN RUSH OF FLOOD

(Continued from Page One.)

tonight was 43.7, a rise of .5 since 7 A. M. Cairo reported a stage of 53.8, a rise of .6 in 12 hours, and Vicksburg, Miss., 40.4, a rise of .2 feet.

Officials of the St. Francis Levee Board and officials of the United States Engineers Office here, asserted tonight that at no point south of Cairo is the situation as yet alarming. Private dispatches, however, from Birds Point, Caruthersville and Bellmont, Mo., and Hickman, Ky., were less assuring. At Hickman especially, conditions are reported as fast becoming serious.

Other than the flooding of the town the break in the private levee at Columbus, Ky., last night is expected to cause but little damage as a series of small hills and ridges protect the surrounding country. Less than half the county will be inundated. So far as can be ascertained all the inhabitants of Columbus reached places of safety before the embankment collapsed.

Dayton Needs Money

Dayton, Ohio, April 1.—"Dayton is facing one of the gravest problems that any city of the world ever faced and we want the world to know we need money and food for our stricken people," said John H. Patterson, president of the relief committee, tonight, after he returned in company with H. E. Talbott, chief engineer, from a tour of the sections of Dayton swept by the flood last week.

In speaking of a tentative plan to ask the Federal government for a loan of from $20,000,000 to $40,000,000 to be used in reconstruction work, Mr. Patterson said:

"At a meeting of bankers and officials of the building association, it was decided to make an appeal for Federal aid. The banks and building associations have $60,000,000 worth of assets which they will put up as collateral. It may be deemed advisable to ask the government to give us some financial assistance. We feel that the disaster is an emergency which would justify extraordinary action on the part of Congress."

Since Sunday more than $750,000 in cash has been received from banks in Cincinnati to replace damaged money in local banks which will remain closed until April 8th.

In response to a telegram from Governor Cox, Mr. Patterson will go to Columbus tomorrow to confer with Miss Mabel Boardman, of the American Red Cross, and the Governor. Mr. Talbott tonight estimated that the property loss in Montgamery county would reach at least $150,000. He declared that one manufacturing company alone had lost half a million dollars.

Although several carloads of provisions were received today, officials in charge of relief work stated that the food situation was a matter of grave concern. More refugees have applied for assistance. "We must have rations for more than 100,000 people for an indefinite period," Mr. Patterson declared.

Four bodies were taken from the debris by workmen today, bringing the total number of bodies recovered up to 129, according to the coroner's estimate.

Messages of Condolence

Washington, April 1.—Messages continued to come to President Wilson from foreign rulers expressing sympathy for sufferers in the floods. King George of England, cabled:

"I am greatly distressed at the news of the disastrous floods and the grievous loss of life caused by them. I desire to express to Your Excellency my deep sympathy with yourself and the people of the United States in your misfortune."

The President replied:

"Allow me in the name of the people and government of the United States to express deep appreciation of Your Majesty's kind message of condolence."

King Emmanuel of Italy, cabled:

"On hearing the news of the floods that have devastated prosperous regions and made so many victims, I beg you to believe in sentiment of sincere and deep sympathy with which I join in your country's mourning."

President Wilson responded:

"Your Majesty's touching words of sympathy in the terrible loss of life and property which has befallen many American homes are a real solace to the government and people of the United States."

From Sultan Ahmed Kadjar of Persia, came the following:

"Deeply shocked by the terrible catastrophe that has befallen the United States by reason of the flood, I hasten to offer to Your Excellency and the American Nation the expression of my earnest regret and condolence."

President Wilson replied:

"On behalf of the American people and in my own name, I thank Your Majesty for your kind words of sympathy in the direful calamity which has befallen so many American families."

Pledges Federal Aid

On board Secretary Garrison's special flood relief train, Knoxville, Tenn., April 1.—Secretary Garrison, of the War Department, who passed through this city tonight en route to Washington, returning from his visit to the Ohio flood district, sent an identical message to the Governors of the 10 States lying in the Ohio and lower Mississippi valley pledging Federal aid for all local authorities who may need assistance in handling the flood situation.

The war secretary's message, which was sent to the Governors of Ohio, Illinois, West Virginia, Missouri, Tennessee, Arkansas, Kentucky, Mississippi, Louisiana and Indiana, asked each of these executives to raise all the money and gather all the supplies possible in the circumstances. Mr. Garrison further suggested that each of these 10 Governors appoint a responsible person in each State who will receive all local appeals for Federal assistance and transmit them to the War Department in Washington.

"It is obvious," said Secretary Garrison, "that this plan will result in coordination, will prevent waste and will insure much more efficient service."

At Paris, Ky., Secretary Garrison received a call from Dr. Frank Fithian, a cousin, whom he had not seen for 30 years.

A copy of the telegram as sent to the Governors also was transmitted to President Wilson.

Portsmouth Cared For

Portsmouth, Ohio, April 1 (Via telephone to Columbus.)—Although completely under water and all telegraph and telephone communication cut off, this city is being well cared for. The arrival of the steamers Klondike and J. I. Ware yesterday brought sufficient provisions to supply those in need for a week. Eight thousand and seven hundred persons were fed yesterday at relief stations.

Major General Leonard Wood has ordered the steamer Ware to Kenova, W. Va., where conditions are said to be getting worse. The stage is 67 feet here and the river is rushing one foot over the flood wall. The Norfolk & Western bridge here is gone. The report that Portsmouth was on fire is not true.

Fund for School Children.

Washington, April 1.—Special arrangements have been made by United States Commissioner of Education Claxton with the Red Cross Society, whereby all funds raised by the schools of the country, in response to the commissioner's appeal of March 27th, will be set apart from the general contributions and applied to the immediate task of helping children in the flooded districts to return to school.

TURKEY ACCEPTS

Agrees to Terms of Peace Proposed by the Powers

Constantinople, April 1.—The Turkish government today declared that it unreservedly accepted the terms of peace proposed by the European powers.

The foreign office handed the Ottoman acceptance to the dean of the diplomatic corps this morning, accompanied by an expression of thanks to the powers for their mediation.

The terms of mediation offered by the European powers to Turkey and the Balkan allies were: "The frontier of the Ottoman Empire in Europe shall start at Enos and, following the course of the Maritza river, and then that of the Ergene, shall end at Midia. All territories situated west of this line shall be ceded by Turkey to the allied States with the exception of Albania, the delimitation of which shall be fixed by the powers.

"2. The question of the Agean Islands shall be settled by the powers.

"3. Turkey shall abandon all claim to Crete.

"4. The powers cannot favorably entertain the demand for indemnity, but will admit the allies to participate in the discussions of the International Commission in Paris for an equitable settlement for their participation in the Ottoman debt and in the financial charges of the districts to be handed over to them. Turkey is to be asked to take part in the labors of this commission.

"The great powers declare at the same time that as soon as these basis are completed hostilities shall cease."

On Friday last (March 28th) Bulgaria notified the powers of her acceptance of the offer of mediation, but persisted in her demand for a war indemnity and proposed to substitute a frontier line from Midia on the Black sea to the Gulf of Saros at the top of the peninsular of Gallipili.

The European ambassadors in London have since been considering the situation, but have reached no definite conclusions. The fall of the fortress of Adrianople is considered likely to have some influence on future negotiations.

MR. F. E. LITTLE EDITOR

Wilmington Man Editor Whiteville Paper—Other News Notes

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C. April 1— Mr. F. E. Little, of Wilmington, has succeeded Mr. Jack W. Allen as editor of the Whiteville News Reporter. Mr. Little is a brother of Joseph W. Little, Esq., of Wilmington, and is a young man of many excellent qualities. He has a splendid field to work in, and will no doubt get out a paper that will compare most favorably with the other weeklies of this section. Col. T. Larry Gannt, who was until a few months ago, editor of this paper was a newspaper man of ability, and succeeded in making the Reporter one of the best country weeklies in the State.

Rev. W. W. Morton, a student in the Union Theological Seminary at Richmond, Va., preached in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. Rev. W. W. Stringfield, the Assistant Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League for this State, will deliver an address in the Baptist church here Thursday night.

Tonight a travelling vaudeville troupe will give an entertainment in the school auditorium, and if they follow the precedent set by others of their kind who have been here this season will bunco the people out of a few quarters.

Prof. N. D. Johnson, of Wagram, who taught school here many years ago, is visiting friends and relatives. Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Whittaker have moved into their new home on Madison.

DAVIDSON EASY FOR A. & M.

Presbyterians Defeated at Raleigh by the Score of 7 to 0.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—Davidson was an easy victim for A. & M. today, the Red and White winning by the score of 7 to 0. Russell pitched a great game, allowing the visitors only one hit and striking out nine men. Olsten was relieved by Bell in the fifth, who pitched a good game. Graham played a good game for the visitors, while the pegging of Winston was perfect, he catching six men off bases. Score:

Davidson .....000 000 000—0 1 4
A. & M.....401 020 00x—7 8 9

Batteries: Russell and Winston for A. & M.; Olsten, Bell and Alford for Davidson.

Summary: Struck out, by Russell 9; Olsten 5; Bell 4. Base on balls, off Olsten 2. Hits off Olsten 6 in 4 1-3; Bell, 2 in 3 2-3 innings. Stolen bases, Patton 2; Correll, Brittain and Graham. Two-base hits, Brittain and Correll. Umpire, Kauffman. Time of game 1:50. Attenadnce 900.

SUFFOLK VOTES DRY

Virginia City Increases Majority Two Years Ago Against Saloon

Suffolk, Va., March 31.—Suffolk still stands in the dry column by a majority of 88 votes out of a total number cast of 805.

All day long the workers were busy hauling voters to the polls and great enthusiasm prevailed. There was none of the bitterness that has been felt in previous elections.

HUNDRED YEAR CLUBS.

Believe Life May be Prolonged.

Men who are devoting their lives to the study of longevity believe that in days to come a man of ninety will be in his prime, and old age will begin long past a hundred years.

Scientists have proved that the simple life, temperate habits, exercise, and an active mind are essential to a long and happy life.

When the blood gets thin and sluggish and creeps lazily through the veins, and the arteries begin to harden, there is nothing that will enrich the blood, improve the circulation and restore strength to every back-sliding organ in the body so quickly as our delicious cod liver and iron tonic Vinol. Here is proof.

Mrs. Michael Bloom, of Lewiston, Pa., at 83 years of age was so weak she had to be wheeled around in an invalid's chair—she writes that after taking a few bottles of Vinol she could take long walks and do her housework. That shows how Vinol strengthens old people.

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The occasion is therefore one of unbounded, joyful anticipation, and too much stress can not be laid upon the remarkable influence which a mother's happy, pre-natal disposition has upon the health and fortunes of the generation to come.

Mother's Friend is recommended only for the relief and comfort of expectant mothers, thousands of whom have used and recommend it. You will find it on sale at all drug stores at $1.00 a bottle. Write to-day to the Bradfield Regulator Co., 130 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a most instructive book on this greatest of all subjects, motherhood.

ELECTION IN RALEGIH.

Capital City Adopts Commission Form of Government.

Raleigh, N. C., April 1.—The commission form of government was today adopted by Raleigh by a majority of 685 votes.

Three commissioners at a salary of $3,000 a year are to be elected on the 5th of May, the primary election to be held on the 21st of April.

Raleigh will vote in a primary April 21st for candidates for the three commissionerships and the two candidates for each commissionership receiving the highest number of votes will be voted for in the regular election May 5th. Mayor James I. Johnson will be among the candidates for commissionership.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Bijou—Motion Pictures.
Atlantic Coast Line—Schedule.
B. H. Bridgers—Carolina Heights.
Fleet-Davis Co.—Stein-Bloch Clothes.
Peterson & Ruffs—Cravenette Pumps.
Academy of Music—N. C. Dramatic Club.
N. C. Home Bldg. Ass'n—Annual Meeting.
Mission Pharmacy—Nev-R-Brak Combs.

Business Locals.

Lost—Locket.
Wanted—Agents.
Strayed—Poodle Puppy.
Wanted—Three Lathers.
Lost—Velvet Hand Bag.
Palace Market—Shad Roe.
Wanted—Room and Board.
Chauffeur—Wants Position.
F. A. Lord—Attractive Corner.
For Sale—Building and Furniture.
Crum & Woodville—Window and Door Frames.

BUSINESS LOCALS

STRAYED—Fluffy two-months-old white poodle puppy. Reward, if returned to Henry C. Bear, 520 Princess street. ap2-1t*

LOST—Between Market street and Bijou on Front, velvet hand bag, containing 85 bill, eleven quarters and one half dollar; also pencils. Reward, for return to Mrs. G. W. Grimstead, 115 Market street. ap2-1t*

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